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BRIEN—In ever-loving remembrance of our brother, Frederick George Brien, Lieutenant, R.F.A., youngest son of the late John W. and Mrs. Brien, Wilton House, killed in action in France, 20th April, 1918. "We thank our God upon every remembrance of you."

WILSON—In loving memory of Second Lieutenant Alex. S. Wilson, 7th Royal Dublin Fusiliers, reported killed 20th April, 1917, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wilson, 82 Frankford avenue, Rathgar.

BIRTHS.

ANDERSON—April 17, 1925, at Iona, Grove Park, Rathmines, the wife of D. J. Anderson, 29 Brighton road, Rathgar, of a son.

HOPKINS—April 11, 1925, at 6 St. James's terrace, Clonskeagh, Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Bland Hopkins, a daughter (Zoltmah Bland).

NICHOLSON—April 15, 1925, at Roseville, Glasnevin, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Nicholson, a daughter.

WHITE—April 18, 1925, at Ellerslie, Casimir avenue, Rathmines, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert White, a son.

YORKE—April 8, 1925, at 89 Lower Baggot street, Dublin, to Dr. and Mrs. Yorke, Edgeworthstown, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

AGNEW and MOORE—April 11, 1925 (Easter Eve), at St. Mary's Church, Donnybrook, by Rev. Canon Wilson, M.A., Precentor, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Arthur Leslie, youngest son of the late William Boulter Agnew, of Dublin, to Rita, eldest daughter of Thomas Moore, late of Rathgarny House, Multyfarnham, Westmeath (recently Matron, Masonic Girls' School, Ballsbridge, Dublin).

COEY and SMYTH—At Scarva street Presbyterian Church, Banbridge, by the Rev. William Moore, M.A., George Hamilton Coey, of Ashfield Demesne, third son of the late Ed. Coey, D.L., of Merville, Whitehouse, and Mrs. Coey, Collin Grove, Dunmurry, to Ida Gwendoline, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson Smyth, of Belmont, Banbridge.

CONNELLAN and FRENCH—April 13, 1925, at St. John the Baptist's, Clontarf, by the Rev. William Meegan, C.C., assisted by the Rev. Dominick Meegan, O.D.C., Daniel, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Connellan, Bankruptcy Court, Four Courts, and Clontarf, to Mollie, eldest daughter of the late Edward French, and Mrs. French, Annadale, Clontarf.

MOLONEY and DOOLAN—March 26, 1925, at the Church of the Holy Cross, Tramore, with Papal Benediction, by the Rev. M. Hearne, C.C., Dungarvan, assisted by the Rev. M. Crotty, Adm., Waterford; Very Rev. Canon Walsh, P.P., Tramore, and Rev. Father Rea, C.C., Dungarvan—Patrick Joseph (Joe), youngest son of the late Michael and Mrs. Moloney, Priory House, Dungarvan, to Mary, only daughter of Thomas and Mrs. Doolan, Waterford.

POOLE and CONBY—April 2, 1925, at Killinick Church, Wexford, by the Rev. T. F. G. Condell, Rector, Richard T., son of the late John Poole, of Old Ross, to Eleanor Hutchins, widow of the late Lieutenant H. Brodie Conby, D.S.C., R.U.R., and daughter of the late William Armstrong, Lachnagalty House, Kanlscorthy.

PRENDERGAST and MARTYN—March 31, 1925, at St. Andrew's, Westland Row, by the Rev. Fr. McArdle, S.J., assisted by the Rev. Fr. McNevin, J. K. Prendergast, M.E., Assoc.M.Inst.C.E., eldest son of the late Mr. P. J. Prendergast, County Surveyor, Galway, and Mrs Prendergast, 1 Norman Villas, Galway, to Lily, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martyn, Flaskagh House, Dunmore, County Galway.

ROONEY and BRADY—April 15, 1925, at St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire, with Nuptial Mass, by the Very Rev. Denis Flynn, P.P., V.G., Kells, assisted by the Rev. P. Casey, C.C., Henry J. Rooney, son of the late Henry Rooney and Mrs. Rooney, Phibbstown House, Clonalila, to Kathleen, daughter of the late Richard Brady and Mrs. Brady, Newtownwarrery, Kells.

USSHER and WHITEHEAD—April 15, 1925, at Whitechurch, Cappa, by Rev. J. Going, assisted by Ven. Archdeacon Burkett, Percival Arland, only son of Beverley Grant Ussher and Mrs. Ussher, Cappa House, County Waterford, to Emily, elder daughter of Christopher and Mrs. Whitehead, William street, Nenagh.

WATSON and SHERIDAN—April 14, 1925, at Knockbreda Parish Church, Belfast, by the Rev. Robert Watson, B.D., (father of the bridegroom), assisted by the Rev. Louis Copeland, M.A., Rector of the Parish, and the Rev. George Kingston, M.A., Robert Parker Watson, B.A., B.A.I. (C.C.D.), only son of Rev. R. Watson and Mrs. Watson, St. Patrick's Rectory, Castle Archdale, Fermanagh, to Miriam, elder daughter of Robert Sheridan, Esq., D.L., R.I.C. (retired), and Mrs. Sheridan, "Uhdia," Cregagh road, Belfast.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

CANAVAN—April 17, 1925, at 55 Moore street, Sarah Canavan, aged 81, widow of the late James Canavan. R.I.P. Funeral this (Monday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass at the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, to Glasnevin. American and Australian papers please copy.

CASSIDY—April 19, 1925, at a Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Thomas Aquinas, son of the late James F. Cassidy and Mrs. Cassidy, Summerhill and Middle Gardiner street, Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral (private) from Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, to-morrow (Tuesday) morning after 10 o'clock Mass. No flowers.

CLARKIN—April 18, 1925, at her residence, Ballyroan Lodge, Rathfarnham, Mary, beloved wife of Andrew S. Clarkin, 204 Pearse street, Dublin. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband, mother, brothers, and children. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her. Our Lady of Mount Carmel, pray for her. Remains will be removed to Clarendon street Chapel to-day (Monday) at 7.30 p.m., proceeding via Westland Row and Pearse Street, arriving for Office at 8.45 p.m. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Tuesday) morning to Glasnevin.

DILLON—April 15, 1925, suddenly, at Egremont, Cheshire, Granville Walter, youngest son of the late Henry Dillon, Main street, Arklow, aged 78 years. New Zealand papers please copy.

DONOVAN—April 19, 1925, at 54 Lansdowne road, in his 21st year, Malachy Walter, youngest son of Robert and Katharine Donovan. R.I.P. Requiem Mass at St. Mary's, Haddington road, 9 a.m., to-morrow (Tuesday), 21st.

EVANS—April 18, 1925, at her brother-in-law's residence, Greenane, Rathdrum, Jane Alice Evans, eldest daughter of James Evans, of Gorey. Service at Christ's Church, Gorey, at 1 o'clock to-day (Monday). Funeral from Church to Old Cemetery. Remains leave Greenane by motor at 11.30.

FIGGIS—April 17, 1925, at Montagu Grove, Hampstead, London, Annie, wife of late Samuel Figgis, in her 78th year. Funeral Service to-morrow (Tuesday) at 12 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church, Marlborough place, St. John's Wood. Interment at Hampstead Parish Churchyard. No flowers. Colonial papers please copy.

HALL—April 17, 1925, at Lunestown, Mullingar, Annie Elizabeth Frances, widow of Colonel George Crampton Hall, Ballinacor, Westmeath. Funeral from Lunestown at 12.30 p.m to-morrow (Tuesday), 21st inst., to Ballymore Church.

HILL—April 18, 1925, at her residence, Garrymore, Rathdrum, Rebecca Ellen, widow of the late William Hill. Deeply regretted. Funeral will leave for Ballinatone to-day (Monday), 20th inst., at 2.30.

JONES—April 18, 1925, at her residence, "St. Catherine's," Annesley Park, Rathmines, Teresa, dearly-loved wife of Bertram Jones. Deeply regretted by her husband, sisters, and a large circle of relatives and friends. R.I.P. Funeral from the Church of the Holy Name, Beechwood avenue, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Tuesday) morning to Glasnevin Cemetery.

LINDSAY—March 5, 1925, at Parramatta, Sydney, N.S. Wales, Henry William Gervase, youngest son of late Alexander Lindsay, J.P., Lisnacrieve House, Tyrone. Deeply regretted by his sister, Mrs. Seymour, "Lindru," Shoreham, Sussex.

MacDOWELL—In London, suddenly, John M. MacDowell, Solicitor, 61 Northumberland road, Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

McEVOY—April 16, 1925, at her residence, 68 West street, Drogheda, Mary, relict of the late Patrick McEvoy, aged 68 years. R.I.P. Office and High Mass in St. Peter's, West street, this (Monday) morning at 11 o'clock. Funeral immediately after to New Cemetery.

MILLER—April 18, 1925, at her residence, 34 Clarendon street, Dublin, Elizabeth Miller, widow of the late William Miller, of Colmain, County Wexford. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. "With Christ, which is far better." Funeral (private) to St. George's Burial Ground to-morrow (Tuesday) morning at 10.45 o'clock.

MULLINS—April 16, 1925, at Alexandraville, Mountpleasant, Loughrea, M. Gimaone Mullins, J.P., T.C., late Commissioner Inland Revenue. American and Australian papers please copy.

O'DONOVAN—April 16, 1925, at 3 Lower Merrion street, Mrs. Nellie O'Donovan (Madam, La Fona). Mourned by relations and friends. R.I.P.

RANKIN—April 16, 1925, at Larne, County Antrim, after a few days' illness, Jack, the dearly-loved husband of Sophia Rankin (née Headly). "Thy will be done."

STAFFORD—April 14, 1925, at 4 Ridgway Gardens, Wimbledon, Major F. W. Stafford, late R.A.M.C. R.I.P. No flowers.

THOMPSON—April 16, 1925, at 12 Adelaide Park, Belfast, Edith Mary, beloved wife of J. Pim Thompson. Funeral strictly private.

TOPPIN—April 19, 1925, at Ellerslie, Shankill, Margaret Mary, beloved wife of Percy Toppin, in her 51st year. Funeral private.

TUNBRIDGE—April 17, 1925, at a Private Nursing Home in Dublin, Sydney E. Tunbridge, of 41 Merrion square, widow of the late Stephen Hills Tunbridge. Service at St. Ann's Church, Dawson street, at 9 o'clock to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, and funeral at Mount Jerome Cemetery at 9.45 a.m.

IN MEMORIAM.

BARR—In loving memory of Charles Cassels Barr, who fell asleep 19th April, 1904.

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Ní féidir aird a thabhairt ar aon iarratas seb ar an gceann a bheas ar an bhfoirm Oifigiúil, agus ní mór í sin do léiriú leis an Runaí sa Roinn Rialtais, 1925, an nair is deanaí dho.

Le hordú an Aire,
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DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC HEALTH.
LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1925.
TRAVELLING FELLOWSHIPS.

The International Health Board of the Rockefeller Foundation have arranged to grant Three Travelling Fellowships in anticipation of the appointment of County Medical Officers of Health under the Local Government Act, 1925.

The Fellowships are open to any duly qualified Medical Practitioner of Irish nationality or parentage, who holds a registered or a registrable Diploma or Degree in Sanitary Science, Public Health, or State Medicine.

The Minister for Local Government and Public Health will appoint a Committee of Experts to consider the applications and to select the most suitable candidates for those Fellowships. The selected candidates will be required to submit to medical examination, and to give an undertaking to act, if appointed, as County Medical Officer of Health for a period of at least three years, at an initial salary, or combined salaries, of not more than £600 per annum, inclusive, with an allowance for travelling expenses.

Applicants for the Fellowships must furnish particulars of general educational attainments, professional qualifications, and experience in Public Health work, age, state of health, service in the National Army, knowledge of Irish, and testimonials of character.

The candidates who are selected for Travelling Fellowships must be prepared to go to America towards the end of September, so as to arrive at the beginning of the academic year. The course of studies will occupy a period of about eight months.

A Fellowship provides for the payment of a definite sum monthly in advance, during the period of study. The usual rate in the United States is $120 a month for an unmarried Fellow. Stipend payments are for the period of actual study, and do not cover the time required for travel from home to place of study and return. The Board pays tuition, matriculation, and other regular University fees; rental of microscopes, lockers, and apparatus, including required deposits and the cost of unusual or necessary materials, if approved in advance of their purchase by the officers of the Board. The following are paid for by the Fellow from his stipend:—Textbooks, instruments, laboratory garments, incidental supplies, laboratory breakage, etc. A travelling allowance is granted to cover the cost of travel from the home or previous station of the recipient to his place of study and return.

Forms of Application can be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Local Government and Public Health, Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

Applications can only be entertained on the official forms, and must be lodged with the Secretary not later than the 9th May, 1925.

By Order of the Minister,
E. P. McCARRON,
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Department of Local Government and Public Health,
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All persons having claims against the estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 18th February, 1925, are requested to send particulars forthwith to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.
Dated this 20th day of April, 1925.
LITTLE and CULLEN, Solicitors, 24 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
KING'S BENCH DIVISION (PROBATE).
PRINCIPAL REGISTRY.
In the Goods of
CHRISTOPHER RYAN, late of Charlotte street, Newbridge, in the County of Kildare, Licensed Vintner and Merchant.
Take Notice that, after the expiration of eight days from the publication of this Notice, we will apply for Letters of Administration of the Estate of the above-named deceased, who died on the 2nd day of December, 1920, on behalf of Christopher Patrick Ryan, of No. 7 Charlotte street, in the said County of Kildare, the intended Administrator, and that after the expiration of said eight days from this date the Grant of Administration may issue unless a caveat has been entered thereto within said period.
Dated this 18th day of April, 1925.
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GENERAL Cook (plain) or superior General; one girl; House Parliamentary, South Dublin; no children; wages £30 and £26. Apply, with references, K 1721, this office.

GENERAL, immediately, experienced young Cook for family; good wages.—Miss Clifford, 5 South Frederick street.

GENERAL Wanted, Protestant; must be good plain Cook. Address "Z 3597, General," this office.

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LADY Wanted, experienced General; good plain cook; Small family; Protestant preferred.—Address "Z 3666, General," this office. 16 C

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By Order of the Board,
W. F. SCOTT,
Secretary.
Belfast, 20th April, 1925.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The following is the order of Advertisements in to-day's *Irish Times* :—

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LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

During the past eight days only six steamers landed cattle and fresh meat at Liverpool from overseas ports, and with the exception of live cattle, there was a large falling off in the imports compared with the preceding six days. The vessels, with their freights, were as follows:—The Colonian, from Portland, Me., with 903 cattle; the Manxman, from St. John, with 2,479 boxes of meat; the Canopic, from Portland, Me., with 140 boxes of pork, 265 boxes of meat and 1,894 quarters of beef; the Surrey, from Australia with 7,231 sheep and lamb carcases, 2,085 bags, etc., of meat and 2,560 quarters of beef; the Baltic, from New York, with 502 packages of pork and 788 boxes of meat, and the Aurania, from New York, with 8256 packages of meat—making a total of 903 cattle, 7,231 sheep and lamb carcases, 1,521 packages of pork, 6,861 bags, etc., of meat, and 4,139 quarters of beef. Compared with the arrivals of the previous week, these figures show an increase of 903 cattle, and a decrease of 83,907 sheep and lamb carcases, 6,971 boxes, etc., of pork, 2,953 boxes, etc., of meat, and 31,125 quarters of beef.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

The following is a return of the business done on the Dublin and Belfast Stock Exchanges last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parentheses, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk :—

DUBLIN.

National Loan—96½ (W.), 96⅝ (Th.), 96½ (F.).
Do. Bond—96⅝ (W.).
Compensation Stock—92⅝ (W.), 93 x.d. (Th.), 93 (F.).
2½ p.c. Land, 1930—64½ (W.).
Dublin Stock—*72c. (Th.).
Dublin Port 6 p.c. Mort.—99½ (Th.).
Bank of Ireland—*230c. (W.).
Hibernian Bank—6½ (W.), 6¾ (Th.), 6¾ (F.).
Munster and Leinster Bank—7⅛ (W.), *7⅛ (Th.), 7⅛ (F.).
National Bank—20⅝ (W.), 20½ (Th.), *20½ (F.).
Provincial Bank—*24½ (W.), *24½ (Th.).
Royal Bank—13½ (Th.).
Great Northern Ord—50 (Th.), 50 (F.).
Do. Pref.—*52 (W.), 52 (Th.).
Do. Deb.—59 (W.), 58½ (Th.), *59 (F.).
Great Southern Ord.—26, *26 (W.), *26¼ (Th.), 26¼, 7, ½ (F.).
Do. Pref.—36b. (W.), 38, 8½, 9½ (Th.), 39½, 40½ (F.).
Do. Def.—32 (W.), 31½ (F.).
Do. Deb.—58 9 (W.), 61 60½ 62 (Th.), *61 ½ (F.).
London, Mid. and Scot., 1923 Pref.—76½ (Th.).
Canadian Pacific Deb.—81½ (Th.).
Sligo, Rathill & Ord.—47/6 (Th.).
Dublin, Wicklow and Wexford Ry. Deb.—*58 (W.).
Distillers Co. Ord.—57/6 (F.).
Dublin Distillers Ord.—*45/-, 44/3 (W.), 44/6 (Th.), 43/- (F.).

Alliance Gas Ord.—6¾ (W.), 6½ x.d. (F.).
Belfast Ord.—51/- (Th.).
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INSURANCE LAW.

SHAREHOLDER AND COMPANY'S ASSET.

The House of Lords has decided that neither a simple creditor nor a shareholder in a company has any insurable interest in a particular asset which the company holds." Judgment to this effect was given last week in the case of G. J. Macaura against the Northern Assurance Company, Limited; the North British and Mercantile Insurance Company, Limited; the Alliance Assurance Company, Limited; the Fire Art and General Insurance Company, Limited; and the Edinburgh Assurance Company, Limited.

Mr. Gerald Joseph Macaura is the owner of the Killymoon estate, in the County of Tyrone, and prior to 30th December, 1919, had cut down a considerable quantity of the timber. On 20th December, 1919, he assigned all the timber on the estate (including the timber which had been cut) to a company known as the Irish-Canadian Saw Mills, Ltd., the amount to be paid by the company for the timber felled and unfelled being £27,000, and a further sum of £15,000 was to be paid by the company to Mr. Macaura for the cost incurred by him in felling the timber that was then down. The total price of £42,000 was to be satisfied by the allotment to Mr. Macaura or his nominees of 42,000 fully paid up £1 shares in the company. These shares were duly allotted, but no other shares were ever issued by the company. The company proceeded with the operations of felling the timber, and by the end of August, 1921, it had all been felled and cut up in the saw mills. In the course of these operations, Mr. Macaura became a creditor of the company for £19,000, and the only other debts owed by the company were trifling in amount. The timber, when cut and sawn, remained lying on the lands of Killymoon.

In August, 1921, and on various dates in January and February, 1922, Mr. Macaura effected in his own name and that of the Bank of Ireland, with the five insurance companies mentioned, policies of insurance against fire on timber and wood goods in the open on the Killymoon estate, not within a hundred yards of any saw mill or any building in which wood-working by power other than wind or water was carried on. On 22nd February, 1922, the greater part of the timber which had been so felled and cut up was destroyed by fire. Mr. Macaura claimed against the several insurance companies upon the policies for the value of the timber so destroyed by fire. On the 25th May, 1922, a letter was written on behalf of all the insurance companies, stating that they must decline to accept liability for the loss of any timber within 100 yards of the saw mill.

Proceedings were then instituted by writs issued against the insurance companies by Mr. Macaura and the Bank of Ireland, claiming the amounts due under policies, and on 21st July, 1922, an order was made by the King's Bench Division of Northern Ireland staying the actions and referring the matters in dispute to arbitration, pursuant to the arbitration clauses contained in each of the said policies.

ARBITRATOR'S DECISION.

On 5th October, 1922, Mr. J. A. Pringle, K.C., was appointed sole Arbitrator by the parties, and in pursuance of the provisions of the said arbitration clauses in the policies. On the hearing before the Arbitrator the insurance companies, in addition to other matters, raised the point that Mr. Macaura had not any insurable interest in the timber. All the other matters were decided by the Arbitrator in Mr. Macaura's favour, but he held that Mr. Macaura had not at any time during the currency of the policies any insurable interest in the timber, and at the request of the parties stated a case for the opinion of the Court.

The case was heard by the King's Bench Division of Northern Ireland (the Lord Chief Justice and Pirrie, J.), and by an order of 29th March, 1923, they affirmed the finding of the Arbitrator, and held that Mr. Macaura had no insurable interest in the timber, and further held that the Arbitrator had jurisdiction to determine whether Mr. Macaura had any insurable interest or not, and that the insurance companies were not precluded from raising this question before the Arbitrator, by reason of the fact that they had not raised it before the order of 21st July, 1922 (referring the matter to arbitration) had been made, but had only relied on the matters set out in their letter of 30th May, 1922.

Mr. Macaura and the Bank of Ireland appealed against this order of the King's Bench Division of Northern Ireland, and by an order of the Court of Appeal of Northern Ireland, dated 30th July, 1923, the Court of Appeal (Lord Justice Moore and Lord Justice Andrews) dismissed the appeal, with costs, affirming the decision of the Arbitrator that Mr. Macaura had not any insurable interest in the timber in question.

From this order of the Court of Appeal Mr. Macaura appealed to the House of Lords. The appeal was heard on the 6th and 9th March, 1925, and the House adjourned to consider its judgment.

JUDGMENT.

The House dismissed the appeal with costs.

Lord Buckmaster, in delivering judgment, said—It must, in my opinion, be admitted that at first sight the facts suggest that there really was no person other than Macaura who was interested in the preservation of the timber. It is true that the timber was owned by the company, but practically the whole interest in the company was owned by Macaura. He would receive the benefit of any profit, and on him would fall the burden of any loss. But the principles on which the decision of this case rests must be independent of the extent of the interest he held. Macaura could only insure as a creditor or as a shareholder in the company. And if he was not entitled in virtue of either of these rights he can not acquire no better position by reason of the fact that he held both characters. As a creditor his position appears to me quite incapable of supporting the claim. If his contention were right it would follow that any person would be at liberty to insure the furniture of his debtor, and no such claim has ever been recognised by the Courts.

Turning now to his position as shareholder, this must be independent of the extent of his share interest. If he were entitled to insure holding all the shares of the company each shareholder would be equally entitled if the shares were al. in separate hands. Now no shareholder has any right to any item of property owned by the company, for he has no legal or equitable interest therein. He is entitled to a share of the profits while the company continues to carry on business, and a share in the distribution of the surplus assets when the company is wound up.

I agree with the comment of Lord Justice Andrews on the judgments in Lucena v. Crawford. I find equally with him a difficulty in understanding how a moral certainty can be so defined as to render it an essential part of a definite legal proposition. Upon the merits of this dispute, therefore, Macaura must fail. Neither a simple creditor nor a shareholder in a company has any insurable interest in a particular asset which the company holds.

The remaining contentions can be briefly dealt with. The letter of 30th May created no estoppel, nor did the application to refer to arbitration. Whether the Arbitrator had power without consent to determine the policy does not appear to me to arise. The time for the appellant to take this objection was when the order for reference was made, for one of the allegations in issue was the statement that he possessed an insurable interest; nor is there any substance in the contention that he was led by this question to refer to believe that the only question to be referred was the construction of the policy. The question, therefore, as to the authority of the Arbitrator to decide the point as to insurable interest is no longer open to the appellant, but if it were I agree with the views expressed upon it by Lord Justice Moore. For these reasons, I am of opinion that this appeal must fail and should be dismissed, with costs.

Lords Sumner and Wrenbury delivered judgments to the same effect, and Lords Atkinson and Phillimore concurred.

Mr. Serjeant Sullivan and Mr. Maurice Healy (instructed by Mr. Herbert Z. Deane, agent for the appellant.

Sir John Simon, K.C., M.P.; Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C.; Mr. J. S. Murphy, K.C.; Mr. J. M. Whitaker, K.C., and Mr. W. Lowry, K.C., and Mr. W. Lowry (instructed by Messrs Bircham and Co., agents for Messrs. Hoey and Denning, Dublin and Belfast), appeared for the respondents (the five insurance companies).

A man must visit the dentist every six months if he wants to live long.—Dr. Charles S. Thomson.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

Purveyors' Assistants' Strike.—The strike of assistants in the Dublin grocery and purveyors' trade still continues, and although it is stated that the dispute will come to an end at an early date nothing is so far known of any definite steps to bring about a settlement.

Fire at East Wall.—A shed in the premises of Messrs. H. C. McNally and Company, contractors and builders, 3 East Wall road, Dublin, was destroyed by a fire which broke out early yesterday afternoon. The outbreak is believed to have been caused by children.

Parcel Post Office.—The business of the Customs section of the Parcel Post Office, heretofore carried on in the temporary Post Office, Little Denmark street, has been transferred to the premises, No. 10 Parnell square. Business will be transacted at the new address as from to-day.

Burglars in Liffey Stores.—Burglars broke into stores and offices of the Dublin Port and Docks Board, near the Custom House Dock, during Friday night, but got nothing, as the premises contained only heavy tables and desks. The locks of the doors on the river side were smashed, and left on the sidewalk. This is the second burglary in the course of a few days in the North Wall area.

Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.—At the weekly meeting of the Committee of the Dublin Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Incorporated), held at 29 South Frederick street, Mr. F. O. Lyons in the chair. Ten cases were reported by the inspector and two convictions. The following subscriptions were received during the week:—Dr. A. Croly, £1; Miss A. E. Eagar, £1; Miss S. A. Eagar, 2s. 6d.; Miss Jameson, 2s. 6d.; Miss C. B. Bell, 5s.; T. C. Bairley, 5s.; Mrs. Douglas Hyde, £1; Michael Flanagan, £1; Miss Hillas, £1; Mrs. Tyrrell, 5s.; F. O. Lyons, £1; Corrigan and Wilson, £1.

Citizenship Council.—A public meeting will be held this evening, at 7.30 o'clock, in the Diocesan Hall, Upper Baggot-street. The chair will be taken by Mr. T. A. Fannin. The subjects to be discussed are Christianity, Politics, and Citizenship. The Rev. Canon Woods, of Cambridge, and Professor H. G. Wood, of the Woodbrooke Settlement, will address the meeting.

Presentation to Mr. A. C. Clarke.—On Friday night last, in the New Era Club, Great Denmark street, Mr. Alfred E. Clarke, manager, wallpaper department, Brooke, Thomas and Co., was the recipient of a gold watch, presented as a token of affection and esteem by his colleagues on the occasion of his severance from the firm, after many years. The chairman, Mr. I. O'Toole, in making the presentation, spoke of the many sterling qualities of Mr. Clarke. The following also spoke:—Messrs. G. C. Moore, F. J. O'Connor, J. McGowran, C. H. Canfield and T. J. Burke. A very enjoyable musical programme was provided by Messrs. J. M. Doyle, J. Flanagan, J. Dunne, D. Dardis, T. J. Burke, C. H. Caulfield, J. McGowran, J. H. Clarke, A. Clarke, T. P. Hunt, A. Belford and Kieran Sweeney. Messrs. Rathbourne and Kieran assisted the vocalists.

PASSENGERS BY R. AND L. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS.—Lord Athlumney, Mr. and Mrs. Hanna, T. Gwynn, R. Hanly, T. Kenny, T. C. Ives, H. P. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. MacKenzie, Miss Bowie, R. Strowers, C. B. McWeeney, Mrs. Bowie, G. McLeod, T. D. Darnley, Mrs. Hendron, P. Burney, A. R. Conroy, J. McNulty, J. Leonard, J. Crawford, Miss Wheelan, T. Lyle, Mrs. Walsh, Miss Walsh, Miss Watt, Miss Morton, T. J. O'Connor, Miss Watt, Miss Routledge, Mrs. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Purcell, Miss Craig, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Leeper, Piercy Jones.

DEPARTURES.—Admiral Sir Sackville Carden, Dr. and Mrs. Dowzer, A. Bruce, Miss M. Whelan, Mr. and Mrs. Purvis Wilson, Mrs. McGoldrick, Miss N. Galvin, R. Sythes, J. Hall, H. Newmark, G. E. Coombs, Miss Rush, Miss Ryan, Miss A. E. Chambers, Miss Ryan, Miss Carrivan, Miss Palmer, Miss Simms, Miss McElroy, Miss Brickell, Miss Dunne, Miss S. T. Seale, Miss L. M. Fleming, Miss A. O'Neill, Miss E. Morrison, Miss M. Egan, O'Neill, Miss E. Morrison, Miss M. Egan, Miss Mahoon, Miss S. Lucey, G. Rudd, R. Gibbs, T. P. Brindley.

LEINSTER.

Tullamore Town Tenants.—At the annual meeting of the Tullamore Town Tenants' League, Mr. James Lloyd was elected chairman, Mr. M. Behan, vice-chairman, and Mr. F. J. Daly, secretary.

Pike Shot in Lough Ennel.—Two pike, one weighing 19lbs. and the other 25lbs., were shot in Lough Ennel on Friday. Local fishermen consider the destruction of these fish to be of considerable importance to the success of the fishing of the lake.

Housing in Tullamore.—At the Tullamore Town Tenants' meeting on Friday night the chairman (Mr. J. Lloyd) said that houses that were condemned thirty years ago by the medical officer as unfit for human habitation were still being occupied.

King's County Secretaryship.—There is already in the field a large number of candidates for the position of secretary to King's County Council, rendered vacant by the resignation, through ill-health, of Mr. Sean Mahon. As the County Council has been abolished, the duty of electing a secretary is in the hands of the Commissioner in charge of the county administration.

Land Division in Westmeath.—The Gurteen lands near Mullingar have been divided by the inspector of the Irish Land Commission, Mr. C. S. Kettle. The lands, which were bought by the Land Commission from Mr. Robert McKenna, Anneville, Mullingar, contain about 400 Statute acres. The division was into fourteen holdings for landless people and holders of uneconomic farms. The amount of each allotment varied and was between seventeen and thirty-one acres.

Tourist Development.—The Athlone Urban Council have decided to advertise the attractions of the Shannon, Lough Ree, Auburn and Clonmacnoise, with a view to attracting tourists coming to Ireland during the summer.

The Cumann na Gaedheal.—Moate, County Westmeath, organised a branch of the Cumann na nGaedheal organisation, electing as president the Very Rev. Archdeacon Langan, P.P.; Mr. Patrick Fallon, vice-president; Mr. John McCormack, secretary; and Mr. Patrick Gauley, treasurer. A committee, composed of business men of the town, was formed.

Forcible Possession.—At the Bunclody, Co. Wexford, District Court on Saturday, John J. Kavanagh, Kilmyshal, was bound over for three years in the sum of £10 on a charge of having taken forcible possession of a shop at Bunclody, the property of Francis Mulrennan. The case was a sequel to the execution of an ejectment decree at the suit of the official assignee in bankruptcy, after which the defendant was stated to have retaken possession.

The Farmers' Union in Kilkenny.—In his annual report to the County Farmers' Union for the year ended 31st December, 1924, Mr. Patrick McGrath, Secretary, states that the position of the branches in Thomastown, Gowran, Tullahern, Paulstown and Piltown and all the south end of the County Kilkenny is wretched, and casts a very grave reflection on the intelligence of the inhabitants of those districts, considering the combinants of high taxation, maladministration by local bodies and bad prices for farm produce.

Death of Inspector-General Richardson.—Mr. Alexander William Richardson, Inspector-General of Police, Rajputana, India, who died at Mount Aliu on the 14th inst., aged 50 years, was the second son of the late Mr. Nicholas Gosselin Richardson, for many years Secretary of the Ossory Diocesan Council, and nephew of the late Sir William Plunden, Bart., of Castle Blunden, Co. Kilkenny, and of the Very Archdeacon Becher, Lorum Rectory, Bagnalstown.

MUNSTER.

Legacy of £22,000.—A well-known Nenagh lady has come in for a legacy of £22,000 by the death of a relative.

Midwives' Salaries.—At a meeting of the County Board of Health in Nenagh on Friday, the Local Government Department wrote sanctioning a salary of £50, with an annual increments to £67, for the midwife of each full-time dispensary district in North Tipperary.

Assault on a R.I.C. Constable.—At the Middleton District Court John Savage, of Middleton, was fined 40s. and bound to keep the peace for having assaulted James Martin, a Royal Irish Constabulary pensioner. It transpired in evidence that defendant had been arrested on one occasion by the complainant while he was carrying a gun.

Clare Trooper Charge.—At the District Court in Ennis Frank Hassett, a farmer, of Doonsean, Moyriesk, Quin, was remanded for trial on a charge of the wilful murder of Thomas Clune, aged 72 years, and of being concerned in a conspiracy to murder him. The defence, an outliner in the depositions taken, was that Hassett at the time of the outrage was miles away from the scene and could not possibly have had anything to do with the crime.

Master's Salary.—The Rev. Mr. McDowell, Rector of Nenagh, wrote for payment of his salary, which was in arrear, to the North Tipperary County Board on Friday. He was appointed Chaplain under Sealed Order of the Local Government Board for the Nenagh Workhouse in the year 1918. It was decided to request the Local Government Department to sanction the Rev. Mr. McDowel's transfer to the County Board of Health.

Newcastle West Agricultural Society.—At the annual meeting of the Newcastle West Agricultural and Industrial Show Society the following officers were unanimously re-elected:—Captain Cuning, President; the Very Rev. Canon Lee, P.P., Vice-President; Messrs. W. Phelan, and Mr. Nash, and Captain Curling, Trustees; and Mr. O'Donnell, Secretary. A vote of sympathy with Mr. Dermod O'Brien, D.L., Patron of the Show, was passed on the death of the late Miss Nelly O'Brien.

A Doctor's Claim.—An interesting case was decided at the Clonmel Circuit Court by Judge Sealy, K.C. Dr. Crean, Medical Officer Clonmel Hospital, claimed £11 4s. 6d. pension in connection with his medical appointment. The local authorities favourred the claim, but the Local Government Board would not sanction it. Judge Sealy allowed £8 11s. 3d. pension in respect of the training of nurses.

Milk for Hospitals.—At the District Court in Ennis Mr. Gleeson, in imposing a fine of 10s. and costs on each of two contractors for the supply of milk to the County Home, said that the bad weather may have been largely responsible for the deficiency of fats in the milk. But one defendant admitted that he had poor cows. Any contractor supplying milk to a public institution, and particularly to a hospital as the Home really was, should keep only good cows.

"Good Samaritan" Fined.—A young man named Joan Dunne was sentenced to one month's imprisonment at the Kinnis District Court. He met Mrs. McLoughlin going home from the market with a heavy basket, and he insisted on carrying it for her. When she examined it later she found that he had abstracted a shirt from it, and dropped it behind a wall. She pursued Dunne, and, with the assistance of Thomas Casey, made him hand back the parcel. Mr. Gleeson said that Dunne's conduct was a singular variant of the Good Samaritan.

Charge of Perjury.—Michael Neenan, of Mullagh, has been returned for trial at Ennis on a charge of perjury. The prosecution allege that in December last the accused swore an information that his house had been attacked by two men named Frawley and Sexton, and that the latter had fired shots over his head. Those men were arrested; but when they were charged Neenan repudiated his information, and the men were released.

Where Amalgamation Failed.—At the weekly meeting of Loughrea Urban Council a motion to raise the domestic water rate is 1s. 10d. as compared with 10d. last year was defeated. The Town Clerk said that amalgamation had not been a success. Mr. Ma. Whelan said that it resulted in an increase of rates and shocking inconvenience and trouble to the poor.

The Entertainments Tax.—At the Limerick City District Court James J. Reidy, the proprietor of the Abbey Cinema, was prosecuted for failing to comply with the Entertainments Tax in respect of twelve persons who were admitted to a performance and had not the halves of their tickets. The defendant was fined £12 10s. in each of seven cases, two being dismissed and three adjourned.

Hungry Animals.—At the Midleton District Court, Richard Swanton, of Ballincurney, was fined 40s. and 20s. costs for having caused unnecessary suffering to a horse and two asses by refusing to feed them. A veterinary inspector stated that the horse's condition was awful, and the animal was worth only kennel price—£1. There was a field with plenty of grass attached to the paddock, and, although the fence separating both was low, the horse was so weak that it was unable to jump over it.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

Girl Fatally Burned.—The death has occurred in Derry infirmary of Nellie Smalls, aged ten years, of 13 Wellington street, Derry, who was burned about the legs on Thursday as a result of her clothes catching fire. The City Coroner decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Derry Air Service.—The managing Director of the Daw Lines, Ltd., has written to the Derry Corporation requesting their assistance in the establishment of an air service from Derry to Belfast and England by the erection of a hangar on the ground at Urranahs, near Derry.

A Workhouse Pass Key.—At the meeting of Derry Board of Guardians on Saturday an application was made by one of the nurses for a pass key. The Master objected on the ground that it might lead to irregularities in the house. The matter was referred to the House Committee.

Derry Factory Strike.—The strike of workers employed in Messrs. Bryce and Weston's collar factory in Derry continues, and there is no sign of a settlement. As a result of the strike, which is over a proposed small reduction in piece rates, about 400 workers have been rendered idle.

Boat's Sixteen Mile Drift.—A pleasure boat belonging to the City of Derry Sailing Club, which was swept from its moorings in the river opposite the clubhouse during the recent storm, was found floating in the River Foyle, undamaged, off Redcastle, sixteen miles distant. The boat was returned to the club by the crew of the harbour dredger Hercules.

Condition of Down Roads.—The Down County surveyor (Mr. J. G. Wilkin), in his half-yearly report to the Moira Rural District Council, stated that the roads in the rural district were generally in a worn condition and were steadily deteriorating. No steam rolling of any consequence had been done on these roads for a number of years. The material that he was able to have supplied on the roads was inadequate to keep pace with the injury that was being done.

The State in Tanderagee.—The Tanderagee Urban Council have adopted a rate of 7s. 6d. in the for the ensuing year.

New Police Inspector for Armagh.—District Inspector Attridge, Belfast, has been transferred to Armagh to replace District Inspector Conran, who recently retired on pension.

Third Party Insurance.—The Moira Rural Council and the Tanderagee Urban Council have passed resolutions calling on the Northern Government to introduce legislation making it obligatory on all owners of motor vehicles to produce a third party insurance policy before receiving licences.

Belfast Lecturer's Appointment.—The Rev. Dennis O'Keeffe, M.A., Lecturer on Scholastic Philosophy at Queen's, has been appointed Professor of Ethics and Politics at University College, Dublin.

Belfast Boy Killed.—A thirteen-year-old boy named Charles Tierney, whose parents reside at Willowbank Hutts, was on the Falls road, Belfast, near his home, when he was knocked down by a motor lorry. He was badly injured about the head and died in the Royal Victoria Hospital some hours later.

Death of Belfast Teacher.—The death of Mr. William M'Ilroy, a well-known Belfast teacher, has taken place at his residence, 6 Malton Crescent, Belfast. Mr. M'Ilroy was a native of Ballymoney and a brother of the late Judge M'Ilroy, who was Recorder of Belfast for a period. The whole of his life was given to the teaching profession.

Two Referees Collapse.—Mr. William McLean, who was refereeing the Glenavon and Cliftonville football match at Lurgan on Saturday collapsed on the field shortly before half-time, and was assisted to the pavilion. The seizure was not serious. Mr. W. Cowan, the referee of the Ards v. Portadown match, also had a seizure during the game at Newtownards and Mr. Cowan took ill in the pavilion in a state of collapse. He, however, issued instructions for the match to be taken off the field.

Ulster Footballer Injured.—The Rev. George McKay, P.P., of Carrickfergus, while motor cycling in Co. Down, met with an accident, and received rather severe injuries. When in the vicinity of Newtownards he came from behind a lorry in order to pass it, and collided with a cycle which was proceeding in the same direction along the road, the owner of which was thrown violently to the ground, receiving a severe cut on the head. The rev. gentleman was thrown violently to the ground, receiving a fractured collar-bone and other injuries. After receiving first aid treatment Father McKay was removed to a nursing home in Belfast, where he is stated to be making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Possession Order.—A maintenance order for the payment of £1 a week was made at the Newtownstewart Petty Sessions Court against David Mackey, on the application of his wife. He quarrelled with her last March and left her, and she had heard since that he had gone to Canada.

FATHER MATHEW FEIS.

SINGING, DANCING, AND DOMESTIC ARTS.

Saturday's programme at the Father Mathew Feis, Dublin, included competitions for piano and violin, solo and choral singing, dancing, reading, and domestic economy.

In the Junior Choirs section—first on the day's programme—there was only one choir, this Loreto National School, 2 Secon-street (conductor, Miss Nan Mulligan). The test was, "Follow me down to Carlow," and a piece at sight.

The adjudicator, Mr. C. P. FitsGerald, commended this choir on the high standard of excellence attained. They had attained full marks in every department; their "sight" singing was particularly good. They had gained 98 marks out of 100, and he awarded them a first prize.

The Senior Piano contest, for which Chopin's "Polonaise in B flat" (Op. 71, No. 2) was the test, with a piece at sight, brought out sixteen competitors. The prize-winners were:—1st, Miss Ria Leon, 29 Kenilworth square; 2nd, Miss Agnes Fitzgerald, Dominican Convent, Sion Hill, Blackrock; very highly commended, Miss Daisy Morgan, 15 Essex street (recommended for a prize).

Mr. C. P. FitsGerald said that the standard was not so high as in other competitions. None of the competitors seemed to have got the real idea of a "Polonaise." The best attempt was made by the first-prize winner. The sight-reading was fairly good.

OTHER RESULTS.

College Violin—1st, James Nugent, St. Vincent's College, Castleknock; 2nd, F. Gallagher, Marlborough street Schools.

Viola—1st, M. Kirwan, 31 Upper Camden street, Dublin; highly commended, N. Reid, 2 Knapton Villas, Dublin.

College Pianoforte—1st, M. Honan, Dominican College, Newbridge.

Piano and Violin Duet—1st, Louisa Whanstall and M. McNamara (pupils of Mr. Delaney); 2nd, Winifred McKay and E. Pazzan, 23 Oxmantown road, Dublin.

Reading—Class A—No first prize awarded; 2nd prize, Josie McMahon, Stanhope street Convent; 3rd, Margaret O'Connor, Stanhope street Convent.

Class B—1st, F. Burke, Dominican College, Eccles street; 2nd, C. Renwick, 473 North Circular road; 3rd, M. A. Garnett, Muckross Park, Donnybrook.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

Home-made Cake—1st, Miss Margaret Campbell, 100 Harold's Cross Park, Dublin; 2nd, Miss Alice Quigley, 10 Manor place, Dublin; highly commended, Miss A. Doran, 8 Monck place, Phibsborough, and Miss M. French, 8 Upper St. Columba's road, Drumcondra.

Brown Bread—1st, Miss Vera Nolan, Loretto College, North Great George's street; 2nd, Miss A. Quigley, 10 Manor place, Dublin; highly commended, Miss Chris. A. Byrne, 29 Manor place.

Fruit Cake—1st, Miss A. Doran, 8 Monck place, Phibsborough; 2nd, Miss Ursula McGloughlin, Dominican College, Donnybrook; very highly commended, Miss M. Cullen and Miss F. Doondes.

Seed Cake—1st, Mrs. A. Dillon Kelly, 120 Lower Drumcondra road; 2nd, Miss A. Garvey, Dominican College, Donnybrook; highly commended, Miss A. Doran.

Frosted Cake—1st, Mrs. A. Dillon Kelly; 2nd, Mrs. Sammon, 3 de Burgh terrace, Phoenix Park; very highly commended, Miss A. Doran and Miss Kathleen Gore Grimes.

SEWING.

Blouse—1st, Mairin de Beirne, Dominican Convent, Muckross Park; 2nd, Florence Kenny, do. Sister Convent, Rathmines; Miss May O'Connell, Muckross Park; Miss Mary Phelan, Coleraine House, Coleraine street.

Miss Eileen Mooney and Miss May Mahon got second and third place, respectively. Miss Kathleen Byrne, Master John Goulding, Miss Maggie Kane and Miss Shiela Drury were highly commended.

Dr. Touhy, who adjudicated, said that he had been very much impressed by the standard displayed in the contest.

The Dramatic Art contests will commence to-night, and will be continued nightly until Wednesday. The adjudicators are Mr. Frank Fay, T. C. Murray and F. J. O'Donnell.

TWO LAND MINES

FOUND IN CO. TIPPERARY.

Civic Guards, accompanied by military escorts, have been making extensive searches for firearms and ammunition, which, it is is alleged, have been hidden in the Clonmel district.

On Friday evening Sergeant O'Shea, Clonmel, and Sergeant Rohan, accompanied by soldiers, searched the Lisronagh district and discovered two large land mines, fully charged, which weighed about a half cwt. each.

The mines, which were buried some distance in the ground on a farm, were conveyed to Clonmel. Other searches were carried out in Clonmel district on Saturday.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

AN ARMED ENCOUNTER.

POLICE PATROL'S SMART WORK.

(BEFORE MR. COOPER, K.C.)

Details of an armed encounter between three civilians and a police patrol in Clyde road, Dublin, were related on Saturday, when three men were returned for trial on the charge of attempted murder.

The prisoners were Michael Hyland, labourer, Dodderview cottages, Ballsbridge; Charles Cooney, labourer, Dodderview cottages, and Robert F. Moran, labourer, Dodderview cottages.

The evidence of Constable Keenan was that he and Constables Teeling and Hill were on special cycling patrol duty at Burlington road, when the movements of the three prisoners attracted their attention. The constables followed the men to Clyde road, where they called on them to halt, telling them that they were police on duty. The civilians, instead of putting up his hands, one of them drew a gun. Teeling, while the other two ran away in different directions.

In the pursuit which followed Hyland fired two shots at Constables Teeling and Hill. Constable Teeling fired one shot over Hyland's head, and was going to fire again when his revolver jammed. Hyland then escaped.

It was stated that Cooney, when arrested, had no arms.

Answering Robert Moran, Constable Teeling said that he was quite sure that he and his colleagues shouted that they were police.

Moran—I did not know you were police.

Inspector Brennan deposed that he arrested Moran and Hyland in their beds. At Donnybrook police station Moran made a statement admitting that he was in company with the other two prisoners on the night in question. They saw "three suspicious-looking men" at the corner of a lane. The men followed them from Burlington road to Clyde road.

Mr. Cooper, in returning the prisoners for trial, said that the "courage and bravery" displayed by the constables were worthy of any police force in Europe.

SOLICITOR CHARGED.

SUM OF £1,700 INVOLVED.

Fraudulently converting to his own use £1,767, the property of Blackrock Urban District Council, was the charge preferred against Mr. Charles P. O'Neill, solicitor to the Blackrock Council and a former chairman of the Pembroke Urban Council.

According to the evidence of Detective Officer Hoey, the accused man, who was arrested at Hammersmith police station, London, on Friday last, asked to be shown the warrant for his arrest, and on seeing it said, "That is your authority all right." The charge sheet alleged that the accused "received certain property for and on behalf of Blackrock Urban District Council; and that he did fraudulently convert same to his own use, said property consisting of the following sums:—£448 received by him on 22nd May, 1924; £448 received by him on 22nd July, 1924; £443 received by him on 16th April, 1924; and £430 received by him on 10th October, 1924."

In the Court on Saturday, when the matter was mentioned, Mr. Nolan-Whelan, who instructed by Mr. Charles Murray) defended, requested that the period of remand should be as short as possible. His instructions, he said, were that the case would take a very different aspect when it was gone into, and his client was anxious to meet the charge as soon as possible.

The Justice granted a remand until Wednesday, and accused was removed in custody.

LEOPARDSTOWN.

GOOD WEATHER AT APRIL MEETING.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

Delightful weather and a large attendance were the chief features of the April meeting at Leopardstown course last Saturday. A day in the open, under pleasanter climatic conditions, than have been experienced of late, brought the week to an agreeable close, and gave an opportunity for discussing the prospects for Punchestown—a topic which is absorbing all thoughts at present.

Thanks to the fine weather and the sunshine, there was quite a good display of the latest spring modes, especially in millinery. Some of the new styles were particularly attractive, and though the close-fitting shapes naturally conceal the otherwise becoming glimpses of the *coiffures*, no other change of fashion would suit the *chic* tailor-made costumes, which are ideal wear for sporting occasions. A few examples of the new brocaded materials were seen, and several embroidered coats were most effectively worn.

Among those seen in the Club enclosure and paddock were:—Lady Sophie Grattan-Bellew and Miss Grattan-Bellew, Lady Eva Forbes, accompanied by Captain the Hon. George and Lady Margaret Savile, the Hon. Mrs. Dewhurst, Sir Walter Nugent, Sir Bryan Mahon, Lady Goulding, General Sir Bryan Mahon, the Hon. H. C. Alexander, the Right Hon. T. K. Laidlay, Mrs. Justice and Mrs. Wylie, Lady Chance, Mrs. and Miss Chance, General and party; Colonel Wogan Browne, Colonel Hughes, Miss Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Clements Maher, Colonel Lenox Conyngham, Colonel and Mrs. Jameson Davis, Madame and Mdlle. Blanche, Captain and Mrs. Lukyn Lloyd, Captain and Mrs. Arnott, Mrs. G. C. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dudgeon, Captain and Mrs. Croft, Mr. R. D. Mrs. Richard Leeper, Mrs. Jameson, Miss Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Fitzpatrick, Captain and Mrs. Brooke, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, Mr. M. D. Dixon, Mrs. Maxwell and Mrs. Coleman, Miss West, Mr. M.F.H.; Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Maunsell, Mr. H. Usher, Mr. A. Lowry, the Hon. Colonel Clarke, Major Parr, Mr. Stoker, Mr. G. Nesbitt, Surgeon and Mrs. McArdle, Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Fottrell, Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lewin, Mr. and Mrs. McCann, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Dr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Meade, Mrs. and Miss Croft, Mr. H. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mrs. and Miss Crofton, Mr. H. Hartigan, Mr. T. de B. Tombe, Mrs. Hartigan, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Cogan, Miss Taylor, Mr. Black, Miss Hall, Miss Reiss and Mr. Corrigan.

FLATS FOR WORKERS.

WORK AT KEOGH BARRACKS.

According to a report submitted by Dr. W. C. Dwyer to a meeting of the Dublin Commissioners at the City Hall on Saturday last, the work of converting Keogh Barracks into self-contained flats is considerably advanced. The Commissioners have taken a 90 years' lease of the barracks at the yearly rent of £400—the buildings and lands to be utilised solely for such purposes as are authorised by the Housing of the Working Classes Act, including the provision of church, presbytery, schools, etc. Almost all the existing buildings are undergoing conversion into self-contained flats, to the number of 202, and, in addition, twenty-four temporary three-roomed dwellings are being erected within the barrack area.

There are at present about 130 families in occupation, and nearly all of these have been transferred from city tenements reported as unfit for habitation.

The converted buildings and new houses will mean that 420 families, representing a population of approximately 2,000, will be housed on this area.

The provision of school accomodation has been considered, and for this purpose it has been agreed to transfer the buildings known as the recreation buildings (excluding the gymnasium hall) to the diocesan trustees for the sum of £2,000, being the amount of the valuer's estimate of the Corporation's interest in the lease respecting same.

The Very Rev. Canon Magill, P.P., acting with the approval of the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin, has arranged that the diocesan trustees will take over the interest of the Corporation in the lease of the church situated within the area, together with the adjacent plot for a presbytery, for the sum of £1,000, and the Minister for Local Government and Public Health has sanctioned this proposal.

Canon Magill has applied for further school accomodation, and other buildings have been offered to him for this purpose.

The report was adopted.

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS.

MONDAY.

9 and 10 Bachelor's Walk (James Hill and Son).

TUESDAY.

Drimcong, Moycullen, Co. Galway (Battersby and Co.); 24 Casimir road, Harold's Cross (James H. Nolan and Co.); Woodstown, Waterford; (John D. Palmer, Waterford); Frenchtown, Dunshaughlin, Co. Meath (Meekin, Burns and Co.); 4 Upper Prince Edward terrace, Blackrock (Easley and Co., Blackrock).

6 Upper Ormond quay (Bennett and Son); 2 Palmerston Park (Dockrell, Ltd.).

WEDNESDAY.

6 Upper Ormond quay (Bennett and Son); 43 Marlborough road, Donnybrook (James E. North and Co.).

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, April 20, 1925.

COURT ATHCOMHAIRC (HIGH COURT OF CHIVALRY).—Before the Attorney-General for Ireland (Right Hon. James Joyce) (by appointment of the Attorney-General), sitting in Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock: Application for free transcript of the Attorney-General's fiat, dated 17th March, 1925, for the purpose of an appeal to the Supreme Court, by William Lennon, of Dublin, against conviction and sentence of nine months' imprisonment for extortion.

COURT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (Supreme Court of Judicature).—Before the Chief Justice (Right Hon. Hugh Kennedy), and Judges (Right Hon. Timothy Michael Healy, K.C., M.P.; Right Hon. Charles O'Connor, K.C.; Right Hon. Andrew Jameson, K.C.; Right Hon. Richard Robert Madden, K.C.; Right Hon. James Creed Meredith, K.C.; Right Hon. Dodgson Hamilton Madden, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Frederick Shaw, Bart., K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Molloy, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Francis Molony, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Samuel Walker Kyle, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty, K.C.; Right Hon. Sir Thomas Alexander Moriarty,

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The Saturday Dances will be continued at usual.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

IRISH MOTORISTS' UNION.
ARRANGEMENTS FOR THIS EVENING IN JURY'S HOTEL.
MEETING OF MEMBERS ..... 7 p.m. sharp.
ILLUSTRATED LECTURE ON ROAD-MAKING, by Major Smith, A.M.I.C.E. ..... 8 p.m.
DISCUSSION ON LECTURE ..... 9 p.m.
Members are requested to attend punctually at 7 p.m.
All others interested are cordially invited to the Lecture at 8 p.m.
Members' Car and Cycle Badges can now be supplied.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1925.
COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.
CLOSING OF NAAS ROAD.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ABOVE COUNCIL HAVE APPLIED TO THE MINISTER OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC HEALTH FOR AN ORDER UNDER SECTION 29 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1925, CLOSING THE DUBLIN TO NAAS ROAD BETWEEN THE POINTS AND FOR THE PERIOD SET OUT BELOW.
THE MINISTER OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC HEALTH WILL RECEIVE OBJECTIONS (WITH REASONS THEREFOR) FROM ANY PERSON OR PERSONS INTERESTED ON OR BEFORE THE 28th DAY OF APRIL, 1925.
NAME OF ROAD—DUBLIN-NAAS.
LIMITS OF ROAD TO BE CLOSED—That portion of the Dublin-Naas road between Messrs. Farrants, Redcow, and Inchicore Bridge.
PERIOD FOR WHICH ROAD TO BE CLOSED —1st May to 31st July, 1925.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES.—
1. Traffic from Dublin for points on Dublin-Naas road beyond Rathcoole should leave by Terenure and proceed by Tallaght, Embankment, and Saggart.
2. Traffic for Dublin from Rathcoole should approach the city by the above route, or by turning right at Newlands cross-roads and proceed by the Aerodrome to meet the Tallaght-Dublin road.
3. Local traffic from Redcow and neighbouring district can proceed to Dublin by the road passing round Robin Hood Golf Club to join the Dolphin's Barn road, and vice versa.
4. Every practicable facility will be afforded to road users to cause as little inconvenience as possible, but the public must recognise that to carry out the reconstruction of this road it is absolutely imperative to prevent traffic using the new surfaces until they have had time to set.
The Council claim the indulgence of the public in this matter and assure them that any inconvenience caused will be amply repaid by the improved road surface when the work has been completed.
By Order,
SEAMUS Ua LAOIDHLEIS,
An Runaidhe.
County Council Offices,
11 Parnell square, Dublin.

PROTESTANT ORPHAN SOCIETY.
ANNUAL MEETING OF ABOVE SOCIETY
To be held in the
BOARDROOM OF THE CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY,
21 MOLESWORTH STREET,
ON TO-DAY (MONDAY), AT 2.30,
His Grace the LORD ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN will preside and the Meeting will be addressed by
The Very Rev. the DEAN of CHRIST CHURCH,
Sir WILLIAM J. SMYLY, M.D.; R. D. BUDD, Esq.

COMHAIRLE BHAILE BHINN EADAIR
(HOWTH URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
THE DAIRIES, COWSHEDS AND MILK SHOPS (IRELAND) ORDER OF 1926.
Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of above Order, every owner of a Dairy, Cowshed, or Milk Shop in the above district shall, on or before the 31st day of May, 1925, apply to the Registrar of Dairies in the Howth Urban District to have such Dairy, Cowshed, or Milk Shop (owned by him) registered under the Regulations contained in said Order. Those already registered shall apply to be re-registered. The penalty attaching to any breach of the said Regulations is a fine not to exceed £5, in cases of continuing offences to a further penalty of Forty Shillings for each day after written notice of the offence from the Council.
By Order,
JAMES MOORE, Town Clerk.
Council Office, Howth,
17th April, 1925.

CONTRACTS.

OGLAIGH NA h-EIREANN.
NOTICE TO TEA BLENDERS.
TEA BLENDERS in SAORSTAT are invited to forward to the QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL, not later than 12 NOON on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29th, 1925, Samples of Tea, at 2/6 per lb. (duty paid).
The supplier of accepted sample will be permitted to enter into a Contract for the supply of Tea to the Army in the EASTERN and CURRAGH COMMANDS for the SIX MONTHS' PERIOD ENDING OCTOBER 31st, 1925.
Samples must contain 16 ozs. of Tea, and must be forwarded by post marked "TENDER FOR TEAS."
Tea to be delivered as required to the Curragh Camp and Barracks in Dublin District.
Tender Forms and particulars as regards quantities required can be obtained on application (in writing only) to the Officer i/c Contracts and Disposals, Portobello Barracks, Dublin.
(Signed) FELIX CRONIN, Major-General, Quartermaster-General.
31/G/9438. W.H.Co.

COIMISINEIRI OIBREACH PUIBLI (COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC WORKS).
NOTICE TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS.
Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to, but not later than, 12 o'clock noon on the 15th May, 1925, for Electrical Works and Supplies (excluding lamps) required by the Commissioners of Public Works in the Dublin District for a period of one year, from the 1st June, 1925.
A Form of Tender, with Schedule of Supplies, may be obtained at this office on deposit of £1, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide Tender.
In considering the placing of this contract, special regard will be had to the extent to which firms submitting Tenders employ, or are prepared to employ, demobilised officers and men of the National Army.
The Commissioners will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.
By Order,
J. J. HEALY, Secretary.
Oifig Oibreach Puibli (Office of Public Works),
Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin),
17th April, 1925.
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The Irish Times.
MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1925.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

In the course of a speech at Wexford last Saturday Mr. Hogan, Minister for Agriculture, declared that the farmers would have to co-operate with the State and improve agricultural methods generally if they were to regain their old position on the market.—(Page 7.)

The Cork Farmers' Union on Saturday discussed the Shannon scheme, and passed a resolution asking the Minister of Agriculture the average size of agricultural holdings in the Free State and the purpose to which electric power can be applied on those holdings, having regard to the cost of installation and transmission.—(Page 8.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

A reservoir above the little town of Skelmorlie, on the Firth of Clyde, burst on Saturday afternoon. The waters rushed down a hill, destroying a house in their path, and five persons were drowned. Two of the victims were carried down to the sea.—(Page 7.)

The Duke and Duchess of York arrived at Victoria Station, London, on their return from East Africa, yesterday.—(Page 7.)

Mr. James Rochfort Maguire, a pioneer with the late Cecil Rhodes in mining and Empire-building, died in London on Saturday.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

Field-Marshal von Hindenburg yesterday outlined his policy in the German Presidential elections.—(Page 7.)

A rising occurred in Lisbon during the week-end, but it was quickly suppressed. Many hundreds of revolutionaries were wounded before they surrendered.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Leopardstown on Saturday Petit Beau won the Paddock Plate, Carrif the Silverpark Plate, L'Aine the Foxrock Plate, War Song the Glencairn Plate, Brave Colleen the Stand Plate and Noggin the Bray Steeplechase.—(Page 10.)

At the Maze on Saturday Garrymore won the Castlereagh Hurdle Race, Gate Book the Maralin Plate, Linfield the Hillsborough Steeplechase, Alroi the Antrim Plate, Grecian Wave the Barbour Steeplechase and Irish Deer the Lisburn Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Alexandra Park Belah won the Three-Year-Old Handicap Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Catterick Miss Connie won the Grove Handicap.—(Page 10.)

At Bournemouth Festoon won the Pembroke Handicap Hurdle Race.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

Lombard street was well supplied with loanable credits, and loans till Monday were made at 3½ per cent. Among Exchanges, French francs were slightly lower.—(Page 4.)

"The Brutal Fact."

In the Mediterranean countries many people lie in the sun throughout the day, shifting themselves only when the advancing rays threaten to leave them in the shadow. The Irish farmer has enjoyed a long spell of sunshine. Now the rays are moving onwards, and soon, if he fails to keep pace with them, he may be left in the shadow: perhaps, indeed, he is there already. This warning was the keynote of the very important speech which the Free State's Minister for Lands and Agriculture delivered last Saturday at Wexford. Mr. Hogan told his audience of farmers that the Free State's staple industry was in a bad way, in spite of its advantages of climate, of inherited instinct for agricultural pursuits and of contiguity to the richest market in Europe. The statistics which he furnished deserve the most careful study by Irishmen of all classes and occupations; for the prosperity of all depends upon the prosperity of the farmer. In every branch of production where formerly we held the foremost place our Continental and overseas rivals are forging ahead of us. We are mishandling the export of beef so badly that we are losing a large and easily accessible share of the dealers' profits and are allowing the Argentine and the other meat-producing countries to dictate their own terms of competition. The same story is true of our exports of bacon, butter, eggs and poultry. Last year Denmark supplied £20,000,000 worth of bacon, £18,000,000 of butter and £5,500,000 of eggs and poultry to the British markets. The respective values of the Free State exports in the same year were £4,000,000, £4,000,000 and £3,250,000. Denmark has achieved these results under a variety of handicaps: the two words "enterprise" and "organisation" spell the secret of her success. Her supplies to the British markets continue to increase, while the Free State's supplies continue to diminish. "The brutal fact," said Mr. Hogan, "is that we are being driven from the market all along the line." When we add the further fact—frankly admitted by Mr. Hogan—that the British market is our only market, the most thoughtless of Irishmen must realise the gravity of the economic crisis which confronts our country in the first years of its political independence.

The State can do, and has done, much to help our farmers against their foreign rivals. Mr. Hogan's Egg, Dairy Produce and Live Stock Acts provide a basis for the entire reorganisation of our agricultural industry. He gave his blessing, last Saturday, to the Wexford farmers' effort to establish a dressed meat trade which, if it is successful, may reform one of the most wasteful aspects of our whole machinery of export. Furthermore, when Mr. Hogan discussed the rewards of better farming, he was not indulging in the dreams of an Alnaschar, but was dealing—as Denmark has proved—in mathematical certainties. By the right sort of organisation the Free State farmers infallibly can produce superior meat which will fetch superior prices in London and Manchester. They can divert to their own pockets profits which to-day they present gratuitously to English and Scottish cattle-finishers. By increasing the milk-yield of their cows and by improving the business of egg-production they can add three or four millions to the income of our agricultural population within the next three or four years. The State, however, cannot do everything. It may preach, legislate and encourage; but the farmer's fate is in his own hands. As Mr. Hogan said, the farmers must co-operate with the Government and they cannot co-operate effectively till they are organised. Hitherto all attempts to organise the Irish farmers in such a way as to secure a high and uniform standard of produce have gained a merely partial success. An immense *vis inertiæ*—due in varying measures to natural conservatism, to faulty education and to the obsession of politics—remains to be overcome. It must be overcome if the Free State is to prosper, and it can be overcome only by a clear recognition among all classes that agriculture is the mainstay of the nation's life and must hold the paramount place in the national economy. In so far as a certain dissipation of the Government's interests has tended to obscure this fact the Government is to blame. Our safety in the British market is an infinitely more urgent matter than the Shannon scheme, and our exports of cattle, butter and eggs to Germany appear to be negligible.

Bulgaria's Peril.

The terrible bomb outrage which took place in Sofia on last Thursday has sent a feeling of horror throughout the civilised world. Political crimes are commonplaces in South-Eastern Europe, and Bulgaria, perhaps, is the most restless of all the Balkan countries; but this latest piece of savagery is unparalleled in modern history. Early last week an attempt was made on the life of young King Boris of Bulgaria, and on the same day the Minister for War, General Constantine Georghieff, was assassinated in the streets of Sofia. A memorial service was held for the murdered officer in the great cathedral of Sveta Nedelia on Thursday; and soon after it had begun a large infernal machine was exploded in the cathedral. Hundreds of people, including women and children, were killed outright, and it is reported that almost one thousand others were wounded more or less seriously. Among those who were killed were the Mayor of Sofia, six generals of the Bulgarian Army, and several high officials and ex-Ministers, while the Prime Minister and several of his colleagues were injured. Apparently the outrage was perpetrated by Bolshevist agents, two of whom, Yankoff and Minkoff, of the Central Communist Council, have been arrested. The original idea seems to have been to kill the King in the ambush, and then to massacre all the principal soldiers and politicians during the resulting memorial service. When the attempt on the King failed, General Georghieff was murdered merely to secure the necessary function in the cathedral. All Bulgaria has been thrown into dismay by this ghastly affair. Several Communists are reported to have been torn to pieces by infuriated relatives of some of the victims. The Government is taking the most drastic steps to discover and deal with the criminals, but such a strict censorship has been imposed that trustworthy information cannot be obtained.

Communism in Bulgaria is chiefly agrarian, and the party which seems to have been directly responsible for the Sofia outrage is that to which the murdered Stambulisky belonged. Since the failure of last year's crops, together with the high cost of living, has created much unrest in the country, the agents of the Third International have found ready listeners to the propaganda which is being disseminated throughout the Balkans from Vienna, Varna, and Constantinople. The Russian idea is to raise up strife not only in Bulgaria, but in every Balkan country. If they can bring about a revolution in Bulgaria, the Bolsheviks believe that it will spread like wild-fire, first to Macedonia, ever a hot-bed of discontent, and afterwards to Serbia, Greece, Rumania and Turkey, whence the transition to Palestine and Egypt would be easy. Luckily, the Bulgarian Government appears to have plenty of courage and will not be terrorised by Communist bombs; but it is high time that the Balkan States should act in concert to banish the Bolshevist emissaries. Most of the staff-work is being done at Vienna, and Serbia is affording sanctuary to those Bulgarian "exiles" who, for one reason or another, have been sent out of their own country. The Little Entente itself is in danger, and therefore it ought to ignore Bulgaria's past and help her to get rid of the Communist menace. It is obvious from the Sofia affair that the men who are planning revolution in the Balkans will stop at nothing. They are determined to bring about a coup which will repay them for their many failures in Western Europe; and if they should succeed, the whole Balkans would be set ablaze. Civilisation has had enough of Balkan troubles. The Great Powers ought to give all possible help to the Bulgarian Government in the serious crisis with which it is faced.

Summer Time.

"Summer time" began in the Free State between Saturday night and Sunday, and winter, officially, is a thing of the past. For the moment, however, we may content ourselves with the enjoyment of the additional hour of brightness which the new order of things enables us to snatch from the fugitive day; for it is yet too soon to cast our clouts and tempt the fickle elements with summer clothing. "Summer time" seems to have come to stay in Western Europe, and as the years pass the protests against such an interference with nature's decrees become less and less effective. It brings such large advantages to the millions of men and women who are cooped up in factories and offices all day that its shortcomings on the balance are almost negligible. We all have become accustomed now to the arrangement by which twice every year we tinker with our clocks and watches; and the majority of the population of Europe has accepted the system as part of its ordinary routine. The economic benefits of "summer time" are very great, and householders who last night were able to dine in daylight for the first time this year will have little patience with those persons who persist in regarding it as a form of sacrilege. The saving in gas and electric light during the period in which "summer time" prolongs the daylight must be very considerable, and matters of this kind continue to play an important part in a housewife's homely budget. "Summer time" is one of the useful legacies of the war. We are glad that, by adopting it, the Free State Government has fallen into line with all the progressive countries of Europe.

De Senectute.

It is said that a man receives one of the most painful shocks of life on the first day when some polite youth rises to give him a seat in a tram. Here at last is external and inexpugnable proof of the approach of age. For the wise man, however, that shock will have been mitigated by previous symptoms of advancing years. According to Mr. Bernard Darwin, a golfer is beginning to be old when, on some fine afternoon in April, he realises as a conscious pleasure the heat of the sun upon his back. What middle-aged man will not be startled slightly by the news that next Friday will be the centenary of the birth of Robert Michael Ballantyne? Of course, Ballantyne was succeeded long ago by other caterers for the "long, long thoughts" of youth. The procession has marched from Jules Verne and Henty down to the dozen or so of popular writers into whose adventure stories—fat, well-printed, well-illustrated volumes—the benevolent uncle makes a curious glance at Christmas-time before he despatches them to their proper destination. He is sure in his heart that none of these new stories is half so good as "The Young Fur Traders" or "Coral Island," but if the elderly man should take up "Coral Island" again, in the hope of recovering "the first fine, careless rapture," his disappointment would be dismal. Be that as it may, he had not ceased to regard the favourite of his youth as a contemporary; and to be told that Ballantyne was born just a hundred years ago is a disconcerting thing. *Eheu, fugaces!*

THE ROYAL DRAWING SOCIETY'S EXHIBITION.

DUBLIN EXHIBITORS' SUCCESS.

The thirty-sixth annual exhibition of the Royal Drawing Society was opened last Saturday at the Guildhall, London. About 3,000 drawings were displayed on the screens. Some 10,000 were received for competition, and it was not possible to hang all: but those now hung on screens are on view at the Guildhall. Many of the drawings have come from the Dominions, and not a few from foreign lands.

King Edward, the first patron of the Society, took a very real interest in its development. As an enduring record of this, a small number of drawings in every year is selected from the exhibition to be added to the permanent collection in the King Edward VII. Memorial Gallery, 18 Queen Anne's Gate. One of those selected this year is the work of a child of three years of age, Madeline Berthel. The spontaneous work of very young children has always been the Society's special care.

The "Village Signs" this year show originality. The Prince of Wales and the Duke of York take a great interest in this section of the exhibition. Gold, silver, and bronze stars, as well as some special prizes, are awarded for the best drawings, and there are four classes of commendation. This year seven bronze stars have been awarded to children under nine years of age. One of these goes to a Dublin boy, Perry Guard, a pupil at Miss Cooke's studio, Molesworth street, for some drawings of figures in action. Bronze stars have been awarded to two other pupils of the same studio—Margaret McCann, aged eleven, for water-colour studies, and Gertrude McCarthy, thirteen, for Dublin street scenes in pastel.

Some excellent work is on view in the "Over School Age" Section. This includes the contributions of previous exhibitors now over nineteen years of age.

APRIL.

As, free of toil and fain to stray,
Idly I drifted here and there,
Wild April met me on the way,
A lone and lovely wanderer!

Lips parted in a glad surprise,
Her wind-blown tresses shimmering
With golden light, and in her eyes
The eternal wonder of the Spring.

The lark was loud above the plain.
I listened with enchanted ears.
'Twas April in the world again,
And I forgot the spoiling years.

L. H. B.

Dublin, April, 1925.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference. — *An anti-cyclonic ridge extends from the Azores to Scotland, and pressure is relatively low over France and the Bay of Biscay. Winds will be light and variable in Scotland, north-easterly elsewhere, strong or high on the South-East coasts. The weather will be fair in most districts, but much cloud is probable in the South-East, with slight local rain or drizzle, especially on the coast.*

Ireland.—*Moderate north-easterly wind; fair; visibility good; rather cold; ground frost at night.*

S.W. Seaboard.—*Wind north-easterly, moderate to fresh; fair to cloudy, perhaps local rain; visibility moderate to good; sea moderate to rather rough.*

Irish Sea and St. George's Chan.—*Light or moderate north-easterly wind; fair; visibility good; sea slight.*

N.W. Seaboard. — *Light westerly to variable wind; fair; visibility good; sea slight.*

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Saturday (1 p.m.) 29.65
" Sunday (3 p.m.) 30.10

SUN (NEW TIME).

To-day....Rises .. 6.16 Sets 8.53
To-morrow.. " .. 6.14 " 8.55
Lighting-up Time 9.33

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.

To-day....Morning 10.36 Afternoon 11.1
To-morrow.. " .. 11.35 " 11.43

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Prince Henry is apparently nothing worse for the fall which he sustained while racing last week, and on Saturday night he attended the annual banquet of the London Society of East Anglians, which took place in the Hotel Grand Central. On May 8th the Prince will preside at the festival dinner at the Guildhall in aid of the Infants' Hospital, when the Earl of Birkenhead will be the principal speaker.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Milford Haven returned to London last Saturday from Cannes, where they had been staying with the Grand Duke Michael of Russia and Countess Torby. The Marquis and Marchioness of Cambridge are in residence at Shotten Hall and are entertaining a large house party this week. Lady Kathleen Villiers and her daughter, Miss Angela Villiers, will return to London at the end of this month from Florence, where they have been visiting the Dowager Countess of Enniskillen.

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The Dowager Countess of Abercorn has returned to London from Shelton Abbey, Arklow, where she spent Easter with the Earl of Wicklow and Lord Cloumore. The Duke of Devonshire, who is making a good recovery, is still at the Devonshire Arms Hotel, Lismore. His son, the Marquis of Hartington, crossed to Ireland immediately on hearing of his father's seizure and is remaining with the Duchess, who was joined on Saturday by her eldest daughter, Lady Maud Baillie. Lady Anne Cavendish is spending the week-end at Curraghmore with Lady Blanche and Lady Katherine Beresford.

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The Duke and Duchess of Grafton will leave Euston Hall next week for London and will be in residence in Chesterfield Gardens for the season. The Earl of Ilchester returned from Le Touquet last week and, after a day's stay at Holland House, left for Evershot, Dorchester, to join the Countess of Ilchester. Viscount and Viscountess Willingdon have left London for the Riviera, where they will remain for the next two or three months in order that Lady Willingdon may recuperate after her recent illness. Lord and Lady Aberconway returned to London from France yesterday, and will spend the season at 25 Belgrave square. Sir John and Lady Simon, who have been spending a few days at Monte Carlo, will return to London to-day.

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Mr. William Curzon-Herrick, of Beau Manor, has arrived at Mourne Park, Co. Down, on a visit to the Earl and Countess of Kilmorey. The latter is a sister of his wife, Lady Kathleen Curzon-Herrick, who has been at Palermo since the serious attack of influenza from which she suffered early in the year. The Earl of Kingston arrived from England last week and is at Kilronan Castle, Co. Roscommon.

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Lord George Scott, brother of the Duke of Buccleuch, has taken a house in Cadogan place, London, for the season, and will entertain there for his twin daughters, Miss Jeanetta and Miss Marjorie Scott, who will be presented at one of the early Courts. The Hon. Ernest and Mrs. Guinness will leave Glanmaroon at the end of this month for 17 Grosvenor place, London, where Mrs. Guinness will give a dance early in June for the *début* of her second daughter, Miss Maureen Guinness.

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The Countess of Fingall will preside at the annual meeting of the United Irish-women on Wednesday at 11.30 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the Engineers' Hall, Dawson street, Dublin. The Rev. T. Finlay will speak, and an influential gathering is expected in support of this great movement for the brightening of life in rural districts.

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On Wednesday evening a concert in aid of the Westminster Hospital will be given in the Royal Albert Hall by the male choir of Barclay's Bank, assisted by Mr. Lamond (piano), Mr. W. H. Squire (violincello) and Mr. F. Holloway (organ). The Duke of Atholl, Katherine Duchess of Westminster, Viscountess Cowdray, Lord Charlesmore, the Speaker of the House of Commons and Sir Robert and Lady Hudson are among the list of patrons.

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Dr. Lane Joynt has returned to 84 Harcourt street.

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Dr. E. T. Freeman has returned to 22 Fitzwilliam square.

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Mr. Adams McConnell has returned to town.

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Mr. W. S. Johnston, L.D.S.I., has returned to 69 Grafton street and Arno, Bray.

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Miss Slyne has returned to 71 Grafton street.

A Grand Scout Display and Entertainment will be given by the Dublin Boy Scouts' Association in the Theatre Royal on next Saturday at 3 p.m. Sir Simon Maddock has kindly consented to preside. Mr. P. B. Nevill, Commissioner for Rovers, London Headquarters, will speak.

Switzers have just received a delivery of the New Combined Chubby Umbrella and Bag. The latest novelty. 17s. 6d. each.

New Millinery. Graceful Models. Fiorai, osprey and embroidered crêpe-de-chine effects. Feather-weight Bankoks and Fur Felts for Sports wear; new colours.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 Sth. Gt. George's st.

Chancellor and Son, Photographers. New Electric Studio, 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

Miss Barry will be at 25 St. Stephen's Green on Thursday next and following week.

Madame Renée (now 51a Dawson street) has received special delivery for the Races of Two-piece Suits in Satin, Repp, Kashs, etc.; also many charming Hats.

Marleen, of Stephen's Green, announces, for the convenience of clients, that she will be at Paris all this week, and letters addressed to her at Hotel Termenus St. Lazare, Paris, will receive her personal attention.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
Arrivals:—Miss Dorothy Myles, Master Peter Rice, Sir James and Lady Percy, Master Desmond Percy, Mrs. Guerin, Miss McCormick, Miss Lane Joynt, Dr. Lane Joynt, Mrs. Hamilton, T. M. Berry, Miss Head, S. Singleton, Captain and Mrs. Hitchcock, Mrs. Clegg, Miss Mary Stuart, Miss L. Allen, Miss F. Allen, Mrs. W. Molyneux, Miss Nora Molyneux, Miss Beryl Molyneux, Gerald Adair, Mrs. Adair, Captain W. Moran, Sir Robert Tate, Lady Tate, Mrs. Dorothy Lowry, Mrs. Richard Ganly, Miss Eileen Drury, Dr. and Mrs. Glenn, Hubert Glenn, Bruce Glenn, Miss Navia Sparling, Departures:—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tatlow, Mrs. W. A. Downing, Mrs. T. J. Considine, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Grimshaw, Miss Lucy Franks, Miss Danan, Captain R. Dilton, Miss W. D. Donald-Church, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson, Captain R. Thompson, M.C.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Norman Potterton, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moreton.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

For Punchestown—New Millinery, Coats and Gowns showings this week at McBirney's, "Our Boys"—The Noted House for Boys' Reliable School Outfits at moderate prices.—24 Wicklow street.

Carpets Shaken by Millar and Beatty, Ltd., in their own Carpet Cleaning Works.

Gibson and Co. Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—143 Lr. Baggot st.

Eugene's Permanent Waving at Maison Marin, 82 Dawson street (entrance Duke street). 'Phone 3060. Consultations free.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Tons of Money." 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"Wake Up," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Crisps." 7 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—Dublin Drama League—"The Spook Sonata," and "The Wedding Morning," 8.15.
La Scala Theatre—"The Thief of Bagdad." 3.0, 5.30, and 8 p.m.
The Grafton—"Flirting with Love," 2.0, 4.25, 6.35, and 9 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—"The White Moth," 4.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Princess, Rathmines—"Daddies."
The Carlton—"The Gaiety Girl."
The Sackville Picture House—"Gossip

ONDON LETTER

IE FRENCH CABINET.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

the new Government in France is
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people here who know much about
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to the League Council. There
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increased from 44 to 46½ hours
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the hours are to be maintained
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for London, and great surprise
caused by the issue during the
of notices by the men's leaders
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The leaders appear to have
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DEATH.

April 19, 1925, at her residence,
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FARMERS MUST CO-OPERATE.

CONFERENCE AT WEXFORD.

BRITISH MARKET CAN BE REGAINED.

MR. HOGAN'S ADVICE.

HOW IRISH PRODUCE IS OUSTED BY DANISH.

"The Free State is being driven from the market all along the line," said Mr. Hogan, Minister for Lands and Agriculture, at Wexford last Saturday.

The present position was clearly revealed by the British trade statistics for 1924 (just published):—

	Free State.	Denmark.	All Countries.
	£	£	£
Bacon and Pork.....	4,000,000	20,000,000	45,000,000
Butter	4,000,000	15,000,000	45,000,000
Egg	3,250,000	5,500,000	15,000,000

Mr. Hogan pointed to the causes and the remedies. He said that there would always be a market for store cattle, but at present they were supplying a second-class article, and the system of farming needed development and finish. The farmers must co-operate with the Government if they wanted to have adequate results.

Uniformity of produce was the secret of success. The average milk yield could be increased from 400 gallons per cow to 500, and the quality of the cattle could be improved by 20s. to 30s. per head. This would mean an additional income of between £4,000,000 and £5,000,000, a sum equal to the total rates, rents and annuities of the country.

The farmers, by effectively co-operating, could thus live free of rent and rates.

LOST PROFITS.

DEVELOPMENT AND FINISH NEEDED.

Mr. Hogan's remarks were addressed to a representative gathering on the occasion of a demonstration at the premises of the Wexford Meat Supply and Bacon Factory, Ltd. He inspected the factory, and afterwards visited the works of the Wexford Engineering Company, Ltd., and Messrs. Philip Pierce and Company, Ltd.

The factory is equipped to deal with 800 pigs, 250 cattle and 200 sheep per week, and has spacious cold storage accommodation. It is electrically lighted, and the machinery is driven by a 70 h.p. Crossley engine. An extension of the business would probably lead to the establishment of a tannery in Wexford.

Mr. Hogan, in the course of his address, said that some people spoke as if a change of Government meant an equally radical change in our agriculture. Farmers, however, realised that the production of live stock and live stock products was going to be for some time the mainstay of Irish agriculture, and that, from this point of view, what our whole system of farming needed was not so much change, but development and, above all, finish.

In 1924 the Free State exported almost £17,000,000 worth of live cattle to Great Britain, as against £2,300,000 worth sent to Great Britain, mainly from Canada. The number of cattle imported from Canada had increased from 50,000 in 1923 to 70,000 in 1924, and during the first three months of this year it was 20,000, as against 15,000 last year. Of the £17,000,000 worth of stock exported from this country, not more than £3,000,000 were slaughtered on arrival at the other side or within a few days of arrival. The balance were finished in England or Scotland, and the best sold as Scotch beef.

No one maintained that we could slaughter even all our fat cattle here. The point was that at present we slaughtered virtually none and shared none of the profits of the trade. Neither did anyone maintain that we could finish all our cattle here.

There would always be a profitable store trade with Great Britain, but we could at least finish properly a number equal to the proportion exported as fats. Farmers could make some attempt thus to supplement their incomes by retaining for themselves a share of the dealers' profits.

A SECOND-CLASS ARTICLE.

The cattle trade generally was not supplying an article which customers required and from which they could make most profit. They were throwing away their natural advantages, neglecting the market for first-class beef, in which no other country exporting to Great Britain could compete, and were entering into competition on their own terms with the Argentine and other countries that exported £27,000,000 worth of chilled or frozen beef to Britain in 1924.

SIGNIFICANT FIGURES.

The figures (given above) for bacon, butter, poultry and eggs were equally illuminating, and attained an added significance by reason of the fact that over a period of years our supplies were diminishing while those of our rivals were increasing in the only market which we were likely to have for some time. The brutal fact was—we were being driven from the market all along the line.

They could restore this position, but only by intelligent co-operation between the State and the farmers. The State could do very little for agriculture compared with what farmers could do for themselves. There was no royal road to success. No Government could find effective substitutes for intelligence, organisation, and hard work.

ORGANISATION THE REMEDY.

He went on to say that in passing into law the Agricultural Produce (Eggs) Act, the Dairy Produce Act, and the Live Stock Breeding Act, they were merely doing what their competitors had done long ago. They could not get adequate results from these Acts unless the farmers gave their co-operation; and farmers could not do this unless they were organised. Farming, especially in Ireland, was a highly complex business, while, on the other hand, uniformity of produce was the secret of success. They could not have this uniformity unless farmers were organised. This applied, not only to the dressed meat industry, but to every other aspect of agriculture.

If, went on Mr. Hogan, the average milk yield were increased by 100 gallons per cow, while at the same time the quality of the cattle produced could be improved by 20s. to 30s. per head in three years, what would that represent in hard cash? At seven pence per gallon 100 gallons of milk would yield about £3, and this, added to the improvement spoken of, would mean a net profit to farmers of over £4,000,000 per annum. This was equal to the total rent, rates, and annuities of the country.

That was what could be attained by more efficient feeding and cultivation. If they put their backs into it they could restore the position of Irish agriculture in a very short time. They had a big task in front, but the future was in their own hands. He himself had no doubt that a country that had emerged successfully from the conditions of the last three years was going to succeed.

A BAD POLICY.

Mr. D. Twomey, Chief Live Stock Inspector, Department of Agriculture, in an address on the "Breeding of Irish Cattle and Markets for Irish Beef," said that discredit was brought on the cattle-breeding industry of the country by the fact that a large portion of our farmers were breeding cattle without any definite object. The adoption of such a policy could result in nothing but the production of weedy animals, and would, generally speaking, cause the industry to languish.

The danger from this was exceedingly great, because during the past four or five years Canadian cattle had greatly improved and were now suited to the requirements of their customers. If the breeders in Canada and the Argentine found it to their advantage to

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REVOLVER DUEL.

DETECTIVES' FIGHT WITH BANDITS.

EXCITING CHASE IN DUBLIN.

A fight between detectives and a band of armed motor thieves, one of whom is thought to have been wounded, took place late last Saturday night at Dartmouth square, Dublin. The detectives encountered the men while searching for a motor car which had been stolen from outside a house in Leeson Park. The firing lasted for about fifteen minutes, and eventually the pursued men got away under cover of darkness.

At about 11 o'clock a report was made by telephone to the Detective Division in Brunswick street that a Crossley-Overland motor car belonging to Dr. F. C. Purser, of 32 Fitzwilliam place, had been stolen from outside the house, 57 Leeson Park, where the doctor had been paying a visit. A description of the car was given. A party of detectives, comprising Superintendent Ennis, Sergeants Mooney and Hughes, and Drivers Lee and Fagan, left at once to search the district.

Driving slowly along Dartmouth road, the detectives saw two men standing by a stationary motor car, while a third man was working at the engine. As they approached, the three men took to their heels and turned into a laneway off Dartmouth square.

The detectives followed in their motor car. As they reached the turning a shot was fired by one of the pursued men, whereupon Driver Lee switched off all lights, so that the car should not make too conspicuous a target, and the fire was then returned. For a quarter of an hour there was a brisk exchange of shots. The detectives' car moved cautiously up the lane until several bullets, piercing the radiator of their car, put the engine out of action. Dismounting, the detectives continued the chase on foot. Nothing could be seen of the fugitives until they ran from the lane towards Charlemont Bridge, where they separated and moved off in different directions.

The detectives returned to Dartmouth road, where they found that the motor car which the three men had deserted was the one for which they had been searching. The police car subsequently was removed to headquarters.

So far there have been no arrests in connection with the affair.

A RIGHT-HAND MAN OF CECIL RHODES.

DEATH OF MR. JAMES ROCHFORT MAGUIRE.

Mr. James Rochfort Maguire, C.B.E., died of heart failure, at his residence, 3 Cleveland square, London, on Saturday morning. Mr. Maguire was in his seventy-first year. Since 1923 he had been Chairman of the British South Africa Company, in succession to Mr. Beit. Before that date he was Vice-President of the company.

Mr. Maguire was a remarkable instance of the highly educated man who finds himself no less at home in business affairs than in the world of books. He had worked in various fields and had attained success in all. The son of an Irish rector, he was educated at Cheltenham and at Merton College, Oxford.

At the University he gave indications of that versatility and thoroughness which distinguished him throughout life; in the field of sport he won a steeplechase; and in the schools he gained a double first, and was elected a Fellow of All Souls. But perhaps the greatest benefit that he derived from Oxford was his acquaintance with that master personality and Empire builder, the late Cecil Rhodes, an acquaintance that ripened into close and life-long friendship.

In 1883 Mr. Maguire was called to the Bar at the Middle Temple, and twelve years later he married Julia Beatrice, eldest daughter of the first Viscount Peel.

In the meantime, he had gone to South Africa with Cecil Rhodes, and had embarked in mining and financial enterprises which brought colossal wealth to both. Among the notable transactions in which he played a part was the Kimberley diamond amalgamation.

Rhodes was a keen judge of character. He had something of that faculty to which Froude attributes no small part of the success of Julius Cæsar—the faculty of knowing and selecting the best men for any enterprise of moment. He saw that Rochfort Maguire possessed the qualities of coolness, courage, daring and resource. He sent him on a mission to Lobengula, whose Kraal was at Bulawayo, then a huge town of Matabele huts. Maguire, with two companions who could speak the Matabele language, spent three months, not free from peril, in Lobengula's territory. At length Lobengula was induced to sign a concession, and on foot of this Rhodes built the Chartered Company.

Irish politics in the stirring days when Parnell led the Nationalist Party made a natural appeal to such a mind as Rochfort Maguire. He brought with him the prestige that he had gained with Cecil Rhodes; he brought the reputation of great wealth, of tact, and of infinite resource, things all of value to an Irish leader and an Irish party fighting against odds. He was elected for North Donegal in 1890, and two years later was returned for the West Clare constituency which he represented till 1895. In the meantime, however, the Parnellite Party, once so strong, had been rent into two contending sections. Rochfort Maguire stood by the followers of the late John Redmond, and his sympathies were with them to the end. West Clare, however, chose another representative in Major Jameson at the next election, and Maguire from that time took no active part in Irish politics.

Mr. Maguire was Chairman of the Rhodesian Railways, Ltd., as well as of the Chartered Company. He was in South Africa during the Boer War, and, with Mrs. Maguire, went through the Siege of Kimberley. In him has died almost the last of the daring and romantic figures that supported Cecil Rhodes in enterprises and exploits that provided a new State and added a vast territory to the British Crown.

LOUGH SWILLY RAILWAY

NOT TO BE CLOSED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELFAST, Sunday.

The Derry and Lough Swilly Railway is not to be closed down, as promises of substantial assistance have been received from both the Free State and Northern Governments.

The former, it is stated, offered a grant of £7,000 on condition that the railway would be kept running for a year. The deficit was estimated to be over £10,000, and the directors, having failed to obtain any concessions from the trades union in regard to wages, decided to make an appeal for assistance also to the Northern Government.

A conference was held with Sir James Craig and the Northern Finance Minister, Mr. H. M. Pollock, last week, when all the circumstances were fully discussed. As a result of the interview, assurances have been given that the Free State grant will be supplemented.

FIRE IN GREYSTONES CHURCH.

ROOF DAMAGED.

Yesterday morning at 8.30 o'clock the Sexton of Greystones Church observed smoke issuing from the roof over the chancel. The Rev. W. L. Jameson, the Rector; Major Jeffreys, Sergeant Hunt, and a number of Civic Guards, and several of the townspeople were quickly on the scene, and after a hole had been made in the roof the fire was extinguished, with the aid of Minimax extinguishers.

The outbreak was caused by the collapse of a flue over the furnace.

After temporary repairs had been carried out, morning Service was conducted as usual at 11.30 o'clock, and a special thanksgiving was offered for the preservation of the church.

A NEW REVOLT IN LISBON.

SURRENDER OF THE REBELS.

SOME HUNDREDS WOUNDED.

BUSINESS AS USUAL DURING FIGHTING.

ANOTHER rising in Portugal took place during the week-end. It was short-lived, however. News is of a fragmentary nature, but it reports the surrender of the revolutionary forces at 9.45 yesterday morning after the bombardment of their stronghold, which opened at 3 p.m. on Saturday. Some hundreds of the rebels were wounded; the number of dead, however, is not disclosed.

The revolutionary leaders have taken refuge in the Spanish Legation.

The first clash came on Saturday morning (says our Lisbon Correspondent), when groups of the Red Legion fired at the Government troops in the streets.

Later the commanders of the National Republican Guard were summoned before the Portuguese President and asked to prepare plans for safeguarding public life and property.

The President, Senhor Teixeira Gomes, then left for Cascaes (a fortified town on the coast 14 miles from Lisbon), where he remained until the rebellion was over. He then returned to the Cramo barracks of the Republican Guard, where a Cabinet meeting was held.

The forces loyal to the Government during the meantime hemmed in the revolutionaries, so that the latter were unable to receive reinforcements from outside. The Deputy Senhor Cunha Lesal, who was believed to be the head of the movement, and General Sinel Cordes, who had been selected as the head of the new Revolutionary Cabinet, were taken prisoners. This disheartened the rebels, and desertions are numerous.

According to Reuter's correspondent, while the fighting was in progress the tramcars were running and the banks remained open. The Government, however, decreed a suspension of the constitutional guarantees.

"Complete tranquillity" is now reported to prevail throughout the country.

KILLED BY RHINOCEROS.

DUBLIN WOMAN EXPLORER'S FATE.

Further particulars have now been received from Nairobi, Kenya Colony, of the deaths of Mrs. Green, a Dublin woman explorer, and Captain E. D. Atkins, both of whom were killed by the same rhinoceros, at Wanyuki, at the foot of Mount Kenya.

It seems certain that Mrs. Green attacked the rhinoceros without any regard for her personal safety, but her ammunition was only of the soft-nosed type. The rhinoceros charged, and, as it was on open ground, Mrs. Green had no chance to escape. The natives with her fled.

Later the same day Captain and Mrs. Atkins were motoring in the vicinity when the rhinoceros charged them, and Captain Atkins was killed in an effort to blind it by meeting it with his coat. He must have been carried for some distance on the animal's horn.

THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF YORK.

ARRIVAL IN LONDON.

The Duke and Duchess of York arrived at Victoria, London, at 3.20 yesterday afternoon on their return from their four and a half months' tour in East Africa and the Sudan. A very large crowd assembled in the precincts of the station. When the Royal travellers came to their motor car they were received with great enthusiasm. Among the personages gathered on the platform to greet them were Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles.

The Duke and Duchess looked bronzed and well.

Captain Brooke, Comptroller of the Duke's Household, speaking for their Royal Highnesses, said that they had had a remarkably fine trip, and had experienced the time of their lives.

It was learned from a member of the party that the Duke and Duchess had spent a good deal of time on the captain's bridge during the crossing of the Channel, and had chatted with interest with various members of the returning M.C.C. Team about their experiences.

THE PRINCE'S TOUR.

MINNA, NIGERIA, Sunday.

The Prince of Wales left Kano this morning en route for Lagos. His first destination is Ibadan, so that to-day has been a comparatively restful one for His Royal Highness, who danced until midnight last night at Kano.

The Prince has benefited from the game of polo which he played yesterday, which was his first ride since March 28th. He afterwards tried on a large straw native hat, shaped like a Welsh woman's, which the natives put on top of their turbans. The Prince, who was bareheaded, was completely engulfed thereby, which provided the heat-stricken inhabitants of Kano with some merry moments.

The train made a brief stoppage early this morning to take in water, and the Prince noticed that a considerable crowd had collected. When he alighted for a moment the crowd encircled the Prince at racing speed, though none of them came nearer than three yards. The Prince, who was utterly unperturbed, turned to the crowd, which opened reverently.—(Reuter.)

FIGHT WITH POACHERS.

EXCITING AFFAIR IN COUNTY DONEGAL.

A serious *fracas* occurred on Saturday night between poachers, water bailiffs and Civic Guards on the River Drowes, near Bundoran. Two gangs of poachers were at work on the river when they were surprised by a party of Guards and bailiffs.

The poachers offered a strong resistance, and in the fight which ensued sticks, stones and revolvers were used. One man was wounded by a revolver shot, but escaped along with his companions.

BRITISH STEAMER STRANDED

OFF COAST OF COSTA RICA.

A Lloyd's message from Punta Arenas, Costa Rica, states that the steamer Trehawke stranded yesterday near Cape Upright in a dangerous position, and has been abandoned. The crew is on board the Norwegian steamer Toluma.

[The Trehawke, a vessel of 4,189 tons, is owned by the Ham Steamship Co., Ltd., and is registered at St. Ives.]

DAM BURST IN SCOTLAND.

DWELLING-HOUSE SWEPT AWAY.

FIVE LIVES LOST.

Skelmorlie, th picturesque little holiday resort on the Firth of Clyde, has been plunged into gloom by the bursting of the reservoir on the hill above, on the estate of the Countess of Eglinton, last Saturday. When the reservoir, heavily laden by the abnormal rainfall of the previous night, burst its banks, the waters rushed downhill to the sea, carrying before them and involving the deaths by drowning of five persons—a woman and four children.

The victims were Mrs. Adams, wife of Patrick Adams, Taymouth, Skelmorlie; Ursula Scott, aged 14, Edinburgh, niece of Mrs. Adams; Alexander Niven Dallas, aged seven, son of Alexander Dallas, contractor, Bischburn Cottage, Skelmorlie; Frederick Dallas, aged five; and Winifred Maraj Manhannet, aged six, 171 Brand street, Glasgow, niece of Mr. Dallas.

HOUSE DESTROYED.

The Dallas's house, which was situated only a hundred yards from the reservoir, suffered most by the disaster. Not a stone or a vestige of the house remained after the raging torrent had passed, and some of the furniture was even found on a beach almost a quarter of a mile away.

Mrs. Dallas and her daughter Lizzie, aged nine, were rescued. They were in the house at the time, but the other three children were playing on the roadway, and the warning came too late. The bodies of Winnie and Alexander were found a short distance away, but Fred was carried over gardens and roads into the sea, where, after the tide had receded, the body was found half-buried in the sand.

Taymouth, the house of Mr. T. Adams, was situated at the time by the two nieces and a maid. Mrs. Adams was in the garage attending to the motor car when the waters swirled past, taking the garage and car with them. Mrs. Adams managed to stagger through the flood to her house, and saw the maid and one of the nieces reach safety. She immediately got a hold of the other girl, but both were carried away. Mrs. Adams was rescued, but died a few minutes later. Ursula's body was carried out to sea, and was found on the beach in the morning.

The electric power station was flooded, and there was no illumination in the place on Saturday night, not even in the Wemyss Bay hydropathic, where the power house was swamped. The residents had to take their meals in the waiting-room, as the basement, conservatory, and other rooms were flooded.

The Countess of Eglinton was on the scene of the disaster all through the afternoon, and offered all every assistance.

A char-a-banc was going uphill when the driver encountered the first rush of water. He turned and effected a mad dash downhill to safety. Gardens, roads, and walls were carried away in the flood, and yesterday the stricken village looked as if it had been visited by a tornado.

RAILWAY TUNNEL STRUGGLE.

QUARRY OFFICIAL ATTACKED AND ROBBED.

In the darkest portion of the railway tunnel near Rathdrum station, Co. Wicklow, at noon on Saturday last, Mr. Thomas Byrne, Secretary to the Balleece Quarry Company, was attacked by two men, who flung a sack over his head, bound him securely, and robbed him of £177.

Mr. Byrne has been in the habit on Saturdays of walking along the railway line to the quarry with the workmen's wages, passing through the tunnel on his way. As he was walking through the tunnel on Saturday two men sprang out from the sides and accosted him. He asked them what they wanted, and one replied—"Money!"

Instantly one of the men flung a sack over his head, and he was thrown to the ground and, although he struggled hard, quickly bound. His assailants then rifled his pockets, taking from him £110 in £1 notes, £40 in 10s. notes, £20 in silver, and 5s. in copper, a book of records, a private pocketbook, containing £7 (his own property), and three cheques.

The robbers overlooked a pocket that contained two £5 notes, part of the wages bill. They left the aged labourer, leaving their victim bound, but in twenty minutes he had freed himself. He reported the "hold up" to the railway officials, and within half an hour of the attack the Civic Guards had the roads all over the country watched, but no arrests were made.

In his struggle Mr. Byrne sustained several bruises, as well as suffering from shock, and had to be medically treated.

It was evident that the robbers had considerable local knowledge, as the hour at which Mr. Byrne usually passed through the tunnel had been changed within the past three weeks.

GIFT TO THE POPE.

THE WORLD'S LARGEST ROSARY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
ROME, Sunday.

The world's largest Rosary, destined to become one of the curiosities of Rome, was presented to the Pope to-day by German-speaking pilgrims from Upper Italy, who were once Austrian subjects.

The Rosary is fifteen feet long, and each huge bead has been carved by artists who have represented in this fashion the story of the Saviour from the birth to the resurrection.

The Rosary now reposes in the Pope's library.

PARIS MOTOR SMASH.

IRISH VISITOR INJURED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel McCormick, of Dublin, was taken to a private hospital at Versailles last night.

She was in a motor car when it swerved in order to avoid a cyclist, and was crashed into by another car going in the opposite direction. The occupants of both cars were injured. Mrs. McCormick sustained severe contusions to her shoulder, but her condition is not serious. She was able to telephone to her hotel, asking that her luggage should be sent to her at the hospital.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS' STRIKE.

POSITION OF CONTRACTORS.

The strike of the members of the Electrical Trades Union, as a result of which over one hundred electricians ceased work on Friday last in the Dublin contract shops, remains unchanged. The strike has been caused by the refusal of members of the Electrical Union to work in shops where members of the Irish Engineering Industrial Union are employed, and no questions of wages or conditions of employment are involved.

The electrical contractors are willing to carry on their work with trade union labour, but they cannot support the action of the Electrical Trades Union (Dublin) in refusing to work with members of another recognised trade union, and, at the same time, excluding electrical work from admission to their union, except on payment of entrance fees amounting to £25, and £50 in some cases. Contractors, as a result of the dispute, have been put to considerable loss and inconvenience, and they hope that public opinion will help in putting an end to such a dislocation in the industry, and the consequent unnecessary increase in unemployment in the city.

RED PLOT IN THE BALKANS.

SOFIA HUNT FOR COMMUNISTS.

MANY KILLED.

CONSCRIPTION OF 10,000 MEN.

KING'S ESCAPE.

OUTRAGE PLANNED BY SOVIET AGENTS.

ACCORDING to the Bulgarian Legation in Berlin, the Sofia Cathedral outrage, which resulted in deaths and injuries to about 2,000 people, was only part of a plot for a general Balkan revolt, which was scheduled to begin this month. It is declared that preparations have been going on for months, inspired by the Soviet.

The revolution was to start in Bulgaria, and to spread thence into Macedonia, Serbia and Rumania. It is declared that every detail of the proposed revolt was planned by Moscow's agents.

According to the *Matin*, the President and Vice-President of the Central Communist Committee, the latter an ex-officer of Engineers named Minkoff, is said to have placed an infernal machine in the Cathedral. The fuse itself was lighted inside the Cathedral by an individual disguised as a student.

Almost all the leaders of the Communist movement are at present under lock and key.

Several leaders of the illegal Executive Committee of the Communists, when discovered in hiding in Sofia, were shot by persons maddened by the fact that relatives of theirs had been killed in the explosion.

Captain Gepie Krotneff, who is alleged to have procured the explosives, committed suicide, and his wife is said to

Although the Bulgarian Government is so far master of the situation in the capital, the revolutionaries prevail in many of the country districts, where a regular war of extermination is going on. Thousands of arrests have been made in Sofia and other parts of Bulgaria.—The *Daily Telegraph* Athens Correspondent.

have been killed by the Communists in order to prevent her betraying the details of the plot.

The British members of Parliament, Colonel Wedgwood, Colonel Malone and Mr. Mackinder, arrived in Sofia last Saturday to study the situation.

The Government is calling out three thousand new volunteers, and is taking steps to obtain the calling up of new contingents, amounting to 10,000 volunteers, recruited by conscription.

KING'S ESCAPE.

BOMB PLACED CLOSE TO THE THRONE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
SOFIA, Sunday.
(BY COURIER TO BELGRADE.)

The destruction of the Cathedral during the Funeral Services of General Georgie was a direct attempt on the life of King Boris, planned by the peasant Communists, in pursuit of a general policy laid down for them by the Third International. It was only chance which kept King Boris away from the Cathedral at the fatal moment.

THE KING'S ESCAPE.

He had already declared that he would be present at the funeral ceremony. A throne had been erected directly under the main dome of the church. At the last moment, however, he decided to attend the funeral of his chief huntaman, which was taking place in a little church in the suburbs. He sent General Davido as his personal representative to the Cathedral ceremony. The body of the General was blown to bits.

The bomb exploded close to the throne, and most of those killed were within a short distance of the Royal chair. Others lost their lives when the dome of the south wall caved in, burying them under a mass of stone and wreckage.

TRIAL OF SUSPECTS.

The Military Courts organised by Royal Decree have begun their work. The trial of the suspects arrested immediately after the explosion will be pushed through to a quick conclusion, and fitting punishment meted out under military law.

The Communists have done themselves damage with the people, which they probably will never be able to repair. A wave of rage has swept the land.

The sharpest measures have been taken by the Government to wipe out Communism in Bulgaria. The carrying of weapons has been forbidden to all except troops and police. Railway travel is permitted only with proper passes. A censorship has been placed on the telephone and telegraph.

The city of Sofia is quiet to-day. Few street cars are operating, and motor cars have practically disappeared. Most of the business houses were closed yesterday.

Meanwhile the Bulgarian Government is making efforts to clean up the Communist nests abroad, where Bulgarian Bolshevik emigrants plot and plan outrages, and send representatives to Sofia to carry them out.

SOVIET PLOTTERS IN TURKEY.

ZINOVIEFF'S ORDERS FOR BALKAN REVOLUTION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Saturday.

The revolutionary campaign in Bulgaria has been directed from the branch office of the Communist International in the Soviet Embassy at Constantinople. In the early part of January, Zinovieff ordered the branch to make a supreme effort to establish Peasant Soviet Republics in Bulgaria and Macedonia during March and April.

"I will only receive ten million gold roubles from the Soviet Government in the first three months of the year," Zinovieff wrote to the Constantinople branch. "I am so hopeful of the revolutionary movement in Bulgaria and Macedonia that I am sending you four of my own millions for an intensified campaign in these countries during March and April, although this forces us to abandon important work in China for several months."

At the same time, Zinovieff forwarded plans of the Communist International's military staff, which have been drawn up for a general uprising in Bulgaria and Macedonia. These plans included the dynamiting of public buildings. They explain that, from a Communist point of view, Bulgaria was the key of control in the Balkans.

The Communist International, exclusively financed by the Soviet Government, has had a big propaganda establishment at the Soviet Embassy in Constantinople for several years, although the propaganda staff has been carefully camouflaged as diplomatic personnel.

The Communist International, not only shelters under the Soviet Embassy, Consulate Merchant Marine and Commercial Agencies in Constantinople, but has the privilege of using the Soviet diplomatic pouch, and sends agents anywhere as diplomatic couriers.

The Turkish police have already ignominously expelled many Communist propagandists without official investigation.

LATE NEWS.

SOFIA OUTRAGE.

SOVIET INTRIGUE.

The Times observes in a leading article:—Sofia has been plunged into mourning by one of the most appalling outrages which have disfigured the savage history of revolutionary Communism. Following hard upon the attempt on the life of King Boris and the discovery of a plot to organise a Communist insurrection in North-Western Bulgaria, this crime confirms the belief that the Pan-Balkan Communist Union, which is simply a political department of the Third International, has resolved to make a bold bid this spring for the establishment of a Soviet Government or Governments in Bulgaria.

Clearly the Bulgarian Government requires strong support in the present crisis. Its request for a temporary increase of the Army has already been favourably entertained by the Conference of Ambassadors in Paris, who have sanctioned the enlistment of 3,000 recruits. Last Friday, Colonel Kalfoff, the Foreign Minister, appears to have requested the Inter-Allied Organisation in Bulgaria for permission to raise a still larger number of soldiers. The majority of the Allied representatives are believed to have approved. The consent of the Conference of Ambassadors is, however, required before any further increase is sanctioned. Previous requests of this nature have aroused not unnatural alarm and suspicion in Yugo-Slavia and Greece, where there is a lively recollection of the second Balkan War and of the almost fatal intervention of Bulgaria on the Turco-German side in the great European struggle. But the present situation is such as to dispel any fear that the Bulgarian Government is contemplating any military adventure. So far from being able to threaten its neighbours, it is obviously hard put to it to defend itself against internal conspiracy and Soviet intrigue.

THE DEATH OF MR. ROCHFORT MAGUIRE.

TELEGRAM FROM THE KING.

The Times says that the Hon. Mrs. Rochfort Maguire has received the following telegram from the King:—"The Queen and I are grieved to hear of the death of your husband, and assure you of our sincere sympathy in your great loss.—GEORGE R.I."

In the course of a lengthy obituary notice *The Times* remarks:—As Rochfort Maguire had become, together with Robert Yerburg, Dunbar Barton, and Sir Charles Metcalfe, an intimate friend of an unconventional Oriel undergraduate named Cecil Rhodes, and this friendship decided his whole career. It was this inner group with which Rhodes talked most freely and whom he sought to engage for the realisation of his great ideas, the greatest of which was that of a federated Empire. It was as an Imperialist that Rhodes objected to Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule Bill of 1886, because of the exclusion of Irish representation from the House of Commons. With his usual directness he offered £10,000 to the Nationalist Party funds on the condition that Irish members should be retained at Westminster, because he "believed that Irish Home Rule would lead to Imperial Home Rule." Parnell, whom Rhodes described as "the most reasonable and sensible man I ever met," agreed, and the bargain was struck in 1888. Rhodes was, no doubt, not indifferent to the effect which his generosity might have on the attitude of the Nationalists towards his South African projects, for the prosecution of which, as well as of his political ideas, he enlisted the help of his friend Maguire. Maguire, who shared Rhodes's admiration of Parnell, became the chief connecting link between Rhodes and the Nationalist Party.

FORTUNE OF £30,000,000.

DEATH OF THE WEALTHIEST MAN IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Sunday.

Don Claudio Lopez y Bru, Marquis De Comillas, died yesterday, after a brief illness, at the age of 72 years. He inherited the ownership of the Transatlantic Espanola Steamship Company, founded by his father, as well as large holdings in coalmines and other enterprises, which made him possibly the wealthiest man in Spain. The fortune he leaves is believed to amount to nearly £30,000,000.—(*Times* telegram.)

TAPIN TO RUN.

Telegraphing on Sunday, the Paris Correspondent of the *Daily Mail* says:—I have it on the authority of M. Eknayan, the owner, that Tapin, the French colt, winner of the Lincolnshire, is a certain starter for the City and Suburban, to be run at Epsom on Wednesday.

"CORNER" IN RACE CARDS.

A London racecourse gang at the Hampshire Hunt Point-to-Point meeting near Alton last Saturday bought up all the race cards one at a time at 1s. each from the Committee, says the *Daily Mail*, and refused to sell any under 2s. 6d. each. In some cases they charged 5s.

EDINBURGH SELECTIONS.

DAILY NEWS.

2. 0—Little Gift. 3.30—Ptarmigan.
2.30—Forest Dance. 4. 0—Cakwood.
3. 0—Night Guard, nap. 4.30—Triplex.

OBITUARY.

MR. EDWARD GALLAGHER.

Mr. Edward Gallagher, whose death is announced, took a prominent part in moulding the policy of the Irish Department of Agriculture almost since its foundation. At that time he was one of the few Irishmen who had technical training in agriculture, and his passing severs a link with those pioneers of agricultural education — Carroll, Clune, McSweeney, and Wright—under whom he was trained at the Albert College, Glasnevin.

For many years Mr. Gallagher was Senior Inspector, with charge of the Western Area, and it was under his inspiration that the organisation grew up, which has worked a revolution in agricultural practice in the difficult field of the Western Congested Districts. This constituted his life's main work, and that by which he will be remembered, as would be his wish, not only by those who were his colleagues, but by the agricultural community, to so many of whom he was a well-known and esteemed figure. In later years his work confined him largely to the office in Dublin, where he took a controlling part in administration. His work in connection with the Food Production campaign, to which he gave unstinted service, was particularly noteworthy.

Before entering the Department Mr. Gallagher was for many years editor of the *Farmers' Gazette*.

MR. J. M. M'DOWELL.

We regret to announce that Mr. John M. McDowell, solicitor, died suddenly in London yesterday. Mr. McDowell crossed to England on Tuesday morning last for a holiday in London. He was then in his usual robust state of health. He was accompanied by his wife, and on the way they were joined by Mr. Joseph Devlin, M.P., and Mr. John D. Nugent. All went well until Saturday

Treaty is binding for us until it is altered by a new agreement between the parties to the Treaty. The military prescriptions of the Treaty are naturally part of the fulfilment of the Treaty.

6—Will your policy towards Germany's former enemies be one of understanding and conciliation? I have already in my Easter message to the German people said I want to serve internal and external peace.

7—A s you of opinion that Germany can only gain from peaceful development at home and abroad, and that it would be foolish for Germany to indulge in warlike adventures? —I thoroughly share this opinion, and during the whole of the post-war period I always spoke inst warlike adventures because they could only end disastrously.

8—Do you think that Germany is capable of waging even a defensive war against one of her neighbours ?—My opinion as a military expert is that Germany is not even capable of defending herself against a small neighbouring State, for States like Poland and Czecho-Slovakia possess much bigger standing armies than we do, and are protected by military alliances, so that, in any event, we should be confronted by a Power whose armament was much superior to ours.

CANON WOODS'S VISIT.

"LIFE A TOUGH PROPOSITION."

Canon E. S. Woods, Vicar of Holy Trinity, Cambridge, preached at three Services in Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin, yesterday.

At a special Service for men at 4 o'clock, Canon Woods spoke of Christian and his companions as described by Bunyan in "The Pilgrim's Progress," and their selections from the three roads at the foot of the large, steep, formidable hill. Christian alone selected the middle one, which was very steep and narrow. It seemed to him, said the preacher, that there was absolutely no escape from the fact that life was a very tough proposition. It always would be a tough proposition.

The real mission of the Kingdom of God was not to make things easy. Everything of real moral and spiritual value, everything of beauty, truth and goodness that they knew in their time had been won in the face of tremendous difficulties; but Christianity, as he understood it, gave to those who were prepared to try it the right kind of attitude and spirit in which to face the problems and difficulties and dangers of human life, and Christianity taught men how to wrest out of these conditions that which would build up individual character and a great human society that would in some measure reflect the eternal mind of the everlasting purpose of God Himself.

If they would be Christ's men they must take the rough with the smooth with cheerfulness and courage. If they could catch and show the spirit of Jesus Christ, that would do more for the Kingdom of God than a dozen sermons. They should learn how to win by losing, and they should learn how to seize their chances—to see and to seize those things that were going on all round them in the spiritual world. If they could get the secret of the personal unit they would be all right, and that principle of unity which would enable them to face life they could get from the only One Who could give it to them—Jesus Christ.

The offerings were on behalf of the Protestant Orphan Society.

TRANSPORT WORKERS' UNION.

CONFERENCE IN DUBLIN.

The annual conference of the seven Dublin City branches of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union was held yesterday at York street, nearly 100 delegates attending.

Mr. John McCabe, who presided, gave an outline of the work of the Council during the past two years, and said that the attempt to smash the Union had failed completely. Those who had been stampeded some months ago were coming back again, and by the end of the present year the Transport Union would be restored to its normal strength.

It was deplorable, the Chairman added, that the city workers had only one representative in the Dail, but the result of the by-elections had made them more hopeful of their candidates' success at future elections. Meanwhile, the working classes would require to show more interest in matters that vitally concerned their general welfare.

The balance sheet, presented by Mr. P. Martin, was considered satisfactory, and was adopted.

Thirty delegates were elected to the Dublin District Council, and affiliation to the Dublin Workers' Council was urged by Mr. William O'Brien, Mr. R. Maher and Mr. F. Robbins, whose views were endorsed by the conference.

A resolution congratulating the Labour M.P.'s on their success at the recent Northern elections was passed unanimously.

THE REV. J. H. ALCOCK, B.D.

The Rev. John H. Alcock, B.D., who has accepted the cure of the parish of Powerscourt (famous in the history of the Irish Church for the incumbency of the Rev. Robert Daly, subsequently Dean of St. Patrick's and eventually Bishop of Cashel), preached yesterday to a large congregation in St. Ann's Church, Dublin, of which he has been curate for upwards of seven years, a farewell sermon. Taking for his text the words "Peace be with you" from the Gospel of the day, he dealt with the subject in its various aspects and, having repeated the words of the text, paused and said: "With these words I close my ministry of seven and a-half years in this parish." Mr. Alcock then referred briefly in terms of deep sympathy and affection to the severance of his more immediate connection with the sphere in which his duty lay for a period which he regarded as one of the happiest in his life. He said that a harsh word had never been spoken to him by one of his parishioners; that from the least to the greatest he had received unvarying kindness, and that it had been his happy privilege to be associated in St. Ann's Pariah with two Vicars—Dr. Day, the present Bishop of Ossory, and the Rev. J. W. Crozier, with whom he had worked in unbroken harmony and the very deepest personal affection, and to whose great gifts of heart and head he paid tribute as he bade the parishioners in very touching but simple words an affectionate farewell.

THE LATE SIR CHARLES FITZWILLIAM.

By command of the King, a Service will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 at the Chapel Royal, St. James's Palace, London, in memory of the late Sir Charles Wentworth Fitzwilliam, who was for many years His Majesty's Crown Equerry. Sir Charles retired from that position several months ago, and had recently been in failing health. He died on Friday at his residence, Barnadale, near Oakham, and will be buried at Wentworth, the seat of his nephew, Earl Fitzwilliam, tomorrow afternoon. Colonel Arthur Erskine, who succeeded Sir Charles as Crown Equerry, will go to Wentworth to-morrow to represent His Majesty at the funeral.

AUCTION ROOMS BURNED.

On Saturday night, about 10 o'clock, a fire broke out in a store the property of Messrs. Stewart and Son, Coalisland, and occupied by Messrs. Moore and M'Comb, auctioneers. The police set to work to remove the furniture. It was feared that the fire would spread to the barracks, and the police telephoned for assistance to the adjoining stations, and with help from Dungannon and Stewartstown and a plentiful supply of water the fire was extinguished at a late hour. The police had all the ammunition removed from the barrack to a place of safety.

FIRE IN A BACON FACTORY.

An outbreak of fire occurred shortly after ten o'clock on Friday night in Mr. Bernard Bennett's bacon-curing stores in William street, Dungannon. A large force of police assisted the local brigade to attack the flames, but the fire had a full grip of the premises, which were gutted.

A large quantity of bacon was destroyed.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere. —(Advt.)

STUMPS FOR MR. GILLIGAN.

ENGLISH CAPTAIN'S TRIBUTE TO HIS TEAM.

PROSPECTS OF 1926 TOUR.

The M.C.C. cricketers, who, under the captaincy of Mr. A. E. R. Gilligan, have been touring Australia, returned to London yesterday.

Mr. Gilligan, in an interview, said—"Our team was a happy family, and I cannot speak too highly of the magnificent manner in which one and all supported me both on and off the field."

He did not think that the results of the Test matches really represented the difference in the calibre of the Australian and English teams. At the same time, he was of opinion that with their stronger all round batting Australia were just a little better than England.

"There was no doubt that losing the toss played a big part in our defeats, for while on the whole the pitches lasted extraordinarily well, it was, nevertheless, a handicap to bat in the last innings."

He thought that there should be a toss in the first and last matches, while in the intervening three the choice should rest with either side alternately. He was most emphatic that the eight-ball over imposed a great strain on all medium-paced or fast bowlers, and especially in Australia.

Mr. Gilligan, referring to the Australians which will visit us in 1926, said: "Certainly they are somewhat deficient in bowling strength, but in Grimmett they possess a very useful and promising man. Ponsford has a wonderful eye, and hits the ball through the covers with extraordinary accuracy and power. He has a fine, free style and a very effective stroke with which he makes a lot of runs.

"Kippax is also a fine player, and it was surprising that he was not given more chances in Test cricket. Both the Richardsons, of South Australia, are first-class players. They are no relation to each other, and, while Victor is a very good field, Arthur is somewhat slow. The latter, however, possesses many strokes as a batsman, and his innings at Adelaide was worth going a long way to see."

As regards fielding, England's captain said that that was one department of the game where England was decidedly better than Australia.

Australia's batting strength in the lower half of the eleven was greater than that of England's. The real disappointments of the team, so far as batting was concerned, were Woolley and Hearne, neither of whom seemed able to get going on the important occasions.

Mr. Gilligan mentioned that he had been presented with a set of plunge mounted in silver, made from the wood of H.M.A.S. Australia. On the base is a map of Australia in silver, with the names of the members of the team inscribed on it. This was the gift of Mr. S. Hordern, and it is the intention of the team to ask the M.C.C. to accept the present as a memento of the tour.

CHURCH OF IRELAND.

THE EASTER VESTRY MEETINGS.

We publish to-day the second list of the appointments made at the Easter Vestry meetings. Other lists will be published during the week.

MOUNTMELLICK AND ROSENALLIS.—Rector's Churchwarden—Robert Gowan. People's—H. M. Smith. Select Vestry—Mountmellick: Alex. Bond, C. Q. Johnston, G. Wood, Wm. Pim, W. Duckinfield, Jun.; John Morgan, R. J. Fetherstonaugh; Rosenallis: Joseph Deverell, W. Goodwin, Major Crossadile, S. Stevenson. Glebe Wardens—Treasurer—Mountmellick: R. L. Deegan; Rosenallis: Jer. Meredith. Secretary—J. Guy. Auditor's —Mountmellick: H. M. Smith and C. C. Johnston; Rosenallis: Major Crossdaile and J. Deverell Sidesmen—Mountmellick: W. S. Tomlinson, Wm. Pim, W. F. Johnston, Wm. Meredith, Jno. Hickman, J. Guy, G. Cayley, W. Dickinson, Jun.; Rosenallis: Major Crossadile, Jer. Meredith, S. Stevenson, Jos. Deverell, R. Jowsey, Wm. Pattison, G. A. Fayerell, W. Watson and A. Thompson.

AGHAVILLY PARISH, ARMAGH.—Rector's Church-warden—Mr. R. Bridge-Sayers. People's Churchwarden—Mr. Charles Engle. Select Vestry—The Churchwardens (ex-officio), Mrs. English, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Gordon, Messrs. J. Allen, J. Bratty, S. Duffy, R. Gwynne, M. D. Livingston, T. J. Montgomery, T. McAnulty, T. Robinson, R. Sargeant. Secretary—Mr. L. Sargent. Treasurer—Mr. M. D. Livingston. Assistant Treasurer—Mr. T. G. Livingston. Sidesmen—Messrs. Robt. Gwynne, T. Robinson, R. H. Knipe, T. McAnulty, M. D. Livingston and W. Bratty.

CASTLEKNOCK AND RULHUDDERT.—Churchwarden's—Rector—Hon. Right Hon. F. K. Laidlaw. People's—Captain Goulding, M.C. Select Vestry—The Earl of Iveagh, Lord HolmPatrick, M.C., D.S.O.; the Honble. A. E. Guinness, A. H. C. Barker, W. H Wilkinson, Thos. Pauling, Captain Nutting, M.C.; A. J. McNelle, Thos. Smith, W. Commiskey, M. Mc. Eager and Dr. Horgan. Secretary—Dr. Horgan. Parochial Treasurer—Lord Rotherham.

ST. GEORGE'S, DUBLIN.—Rector's Churchwarden—Thomas A. Oakes. People's—Albert R. Murphy. Select Vestry—Wm. Smyth, A. J. Reeves, R. K. Pearson, C. Purdie, E. Little, B.L., H. Hughes, A. B. Beck, J. Hall, C. Porter, J. Russell Birch, solicitor, W. Boles, B.Sc., LL.B.

LUCAN AND LEIXLIP.—Churchwardens—Lucan—Rector's: Mr. R. F. Tarleton; People's: Mr. T. Gaffney. Leixlip—Rector's: Mr. Select Vestry—Capt. R. St. J. G. Colthurst, J. Cromer, W. H. Freeman, R. Hallpin, W. Lang, B. Whelan, Lt.-Col. Bramston Newman, A. W. West, G. Symes, A. Balding. Parochial Hon. Treasurer—C. Godden. Hon. Treasurer—Mr. R. F. Tarleton. Hon. Secretary—R. W. Magahy.

CLONDALKIN AND TALLAGHT. — Churchwardens—Minister's—A. D. M. Webber, Capt. R. F. Kelly. Parishioners'—John Fidler, R. W. Boothman. Glebewardens—T. W. Clayton, Joseph Sheppard. Supplemental—Godfrey Knox, C. Jolley. Select Vestry—Colonel Finlay, Major Hamilton, Capt. Church, Capt. Maude, T. W. Clayton, Mrs. Looney, S. Boothman, Miss Boothman, G. P. Farran, C. E. Jolley, R. J. Jolley and John Craig. Hon. Treasurers—Major Hamilton, John Craig. Hon. Parl Secretary—John Craig.

ST. PHILIP'S, MILLTOWN.—Churchwardens—Incumbent's—Richard Kilpatrick. People's—T. V. Powell. Select Vestry—F. L. Barrett, G. B. Butler, O. Campbell, T. E. Willis, T. A. Bacon, T. J. Smalley, V. E. Campbell, J. R. Bailey, A. T. Ellis, James Thomson, S. G. Rutherford and W. H. Morton. Diocesan Synodsman (to succeed the late J. W. Harrison)—Ottwell Campbell.

ST. ANN'S, DUBLIN.—Churchwardens—Newman Thompson and Rotherstonehaugh. Select Vestry—Mrs. S. E. Coles, Miss Mary M. Scott, J. F. Arbuckle, T. H. Casey, Henry F. Hill, J. F. Harrison, R. H. Macrory, James Nicholls, Henry R. Pim, James Robinson, Nathaniel Taylor and Edward White.

ST. PHILIP AND JAMES, BOOTERSTOWN.—Churchwardens—Rector's—Ivan S. Burke. People's—H. F. Fotrell. Select Vestry—Lieut.-Col. T. Torrens, C. Gilford, G. Green, J. A. Pearson, H. Kinghan, A. A. McDonagh, W. C. Mainwaring, J. Nichols, G. M. Orr, L. F. Orr, A. E. Prentice, R. Sharpe. Sidesmen—Messrs. Carroll, Darling, Dunlop, Elder, Fitzell, Green, Keane, Kinghan, Mellon, Marsh, Nichols, Prentice, Phillips, Sarratt. Hon. Secretary—Lionel F. Orr, 3 Grove avenue, Blackrock.

GREYSTONES.—Rector's Churchwarden—Samuel H. French. People's Churchwarden—Samuel E. Pim. Rector's Glebewarden—Major Jeffreys. Supplemental—William H. Hinds. People's Glebewarden—Samuel Chat a. Pim. Supplemental—Edward Archer. Select Vestry—Frank Buckley, C. C. Oulton, Walter Most, H. Joseph Pim, Major Jeffreys, Kenneth Wilson, William H. Hinds, Mrs. Deverell, James O'Toole, George Durgan, H. McLinden, James Hempenstall, Sidesmen—Joseph C. Dann, Edward Archer, H. Joseph Evans, James Hempenstall, William H. Dann and James O'Toole. Hon. Treasurer—C. C. Oulton. Hon. Secretary—Edward Archer.

MAAS AND KILLASHEE.—Churchwardens—W. Kempster, C. W. Pratt. Select Vestrymen—Major Alfred Bourke, H. O'Donel Browne, M.D., Miss L. Clover, Colonel T. J. de Burgh, Captain R. H. de Burgh, R.N., Miss G. de Robeck, J. J. Devlin, R. H. Hall, C. Odlum, W. Valentine, D. J. White, and G. Wolfe, T.D. Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—C. Odlum.

ARDEE.—Rector's Warden—A. Gordon. Sidesmen—Oliver Hale, Charles Chrystal. People's Warden—R. G. McKeever. Sidesmen—J. Campbell, G. Scott. Select Vestry—W. McKeever, A. C. Scott, J. J. Peacocke, S. Hatrick, J. Cooper, E. Craig, J. Pepper, C. Douglas, T. Richardson, J. Campbell, Miss M. C. M. Pratt, and Mrs. H. Lockett. Pew.

OLDCASTLE AND KILBRIDE-CASTLECOR.—Churchwardens—R. Trinnear and W. Porter. Chapelwardens—C. Nixon and C. Benson. Select Vestry—Major-General Sir C. E. Napier, Messrs. J. A. Battersby, J. G. O'Neill, W. J. Matthews, H. F. Atkin, G. F. Acton, Port'erfield, C. Benson, C. Pearson, G. Nixon, G. Watson. Sidesmen—Lady Nugent, Mrs. M. Robinson, Mrs. O. Robinson, Messrs. F. H. Bell, Brady, R. Douglas, R. Doughty, Lord Lord, E. O'Neill, H. Porter, G. Sherwood, Hon. Treasurer for Visitors—Major-General Sir C. E. Napier. Hon. Secretary (and Collector for Oldcastle area)—W. J. A. Matthews.

ST. GEORGE'S, BALLYBRIGGAN. — Rector's Churchwarden—R. A. S. Gormas. People's Churchwarden—T. F. Cashell. Sidesmen—R. S. Cochrane and T. M. Cashell, Spredemen—A. W. Archer and A. Whyte. Select Vestry—Colonel T. Woods, A. W. Archer, J. Bingham, R. S. Cochrane, H. Orr, Capt. Hall, T. M. Cashell, Lewis Wyse, R. B. Gorman, W. J. P. Cochrane, William Wyse, and J. A. Douglas (Hon. Sec.).

ST. AUDOEN'S, MARINE, DUBLIN.—Rector's Churchwardens—J. M. Peate. People's Churchwarden—H. Garrett. Select Vestry—W. Brassington, R. H. Jordan, J. Orr, R. Clark, R. Peate, W. Dunbar, W. H. Jordan, H. Jordan, J. Nolan, G. Overend, T. Wilson, and A. Alock. Sidesmen—G. Coomber, Caswell, R. Clark, Love and A. McWilliam. Rector's Glebewarden—Mr. Overend. Supplemental—Mr. Jordan. People's Glebewarden—Mr. Dunbar. Supplemental—Peate. Parochial Treasurer—James Clark. Secretary of Select Vestry—Dr. Alock.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Exchange of Engines.—During the week commencing April 27th a Great Western locomotive will be attached to the "Flying Scotsman" train from King's Cross and a London and North-Eastern engine will draw the "Cornish Riviera" express. Prior to the exchange of compliments between the two railways, there will be preliminary trial exchanges of engines on some of their lines this week.

Sixteen Years in Post.—A postcard sent from Fulwood, Preston, to Bolton, sixteen years ago, has just been delivered. Among the places it has been to in the meantime was Cleveland, Ohio. The writer addressed it to his father, who died six years ago.

Jazz Band in a Church.—Alfredo's Band, which will perform at the Alhambra to the dancing of Mlle. Terpsichore, played in All Saints' Parish Church, Wandsworth, at the Service last evening. It is believed that this will be the first time on record that a stage Band has played in a place of worship.

Bones in a Sandpit.—Two boys playing in a disused sandpit at Haslemere, Surrey, found a bank book and papers. When the police searched the pit they discovered, it was stated, war bonds and securities valued at over £300. They were identified as being part of the proceeds of a robbery last September at the residence of a Miss Mitchell, High street, Guildford, about twelve miles away.

Private Aircraft in U.S.—Owners of private aircraft in America are not to be allowed to use active Government aerodromes, except in emergencies. Private owners of aircraft can have access to those aerodromes which are on an inactive *status*, provided the aircraft in question are not operated for profit and do not require Government facilities for their maintenance or repair, but in such cases a bond of 5,000 dollars will be required as a protection against property damages.

The Bond of Silence.—Tottenham Magistrate: Have you anyone here who can speak as to your character? Woman: Yes; my husband. Magistrate: Are you calling him? Woman: No, sir.

Australia Hears U.S. Concert.—A concert programme broadcast by a Pittsburg broadcasting station was partially heard in Melbourne last Saturday night. Sydney enthusiasts heard the programme perfectly. The programme was relaid from Sydney, and every item was heard at Suva, in the Fiji Islands, 1,600 miles away.

Mr. Godfrey Isaacs's Funeral.—Mr. Godfrey Isaacs will be buried at Chertsey (Surrey) this afternoon, the service in the Roman Catholic Church being followed by interment in the Roman Catholic portion of the cemetery, which also contains the remains of Mr. Frederic Seth, the father of Mrs. Isaacs.

New English Sugar Beet Factory.—Work has just commenced on the fourth beet sugar factory to be erected in England. A large site, connected with a private railway, has been acquired at Wissington, West Norfolk, and the buildings and plants are designed to treat 400 tons of beet per day.

Four Guernsey bulls have been exported to Kenya Colony to Lord Delamere.

"Changing" the Map.—The historic names of Bokhara, Turkestan and Khiva, regions through which Alexander's soldiers marched during his campaign in Central Asia, lose their official geographical identity this year before the levelling conquest, in nomenclature at any rate, of the Soviets. Uzbekistan is the name by which the greater part of the territory is to appear on Russian maps, with such other appellations as the Turkoman Socialist Soviet Republic, the Tajik Autonomous Republic, and the Kara Kirghis and Kara Kalpak Autonomous Regions.

Delegates have reached Plymouth for the annual conference of the Post Office Controlling Officers' Association.

Two grayhirds have built a nest and are hatching four eggs on a staging 20 feet from the ground at Mid-Tyne Shipyard, men working a few yards away.

Lord Byron's play, "Cain," is being produced for the first time in a New York theatre.

Jean Inge, who is paying his first visit to America, will be the guest of honour at a Church Club dinner to be held at the Hotel Astor, New York, on May 5.

COMMUNIST VISITOR.

MR. S. SAKLATVALA, M.P., IN DUBLIN.

Mr. S. Saklatvala, the Indian Communist member of Parliament for North Battersea, on Monday was the principal speaker at a meeting in Upper Sackville street, Dublin, organised by the Irish Workers' League. A procession was formed at Beresford place, and marched along the quay, and via Marlborough street and Parnell street into Sackville street, where a brake was used as a platform. About 500 people listened to the speaker.

A small red banner with an inscription in Russian was unfolded on the brake. It is said that this banner was a gift from the workers of Russia to the workers of Ireland. Mr. John Lawlor presided.

Mr. Bob Stewart, from Scotland, said that Easter Week, 1916, was of international significance because it had been the beginning of a revolt in the midst of the Imperial wars.

Mr. Saklatvala said that they had to fight for the freedom that gave the people free and full life in their homes without being afraid of the man who came to collect 18s. a week for the luxury of living in a rotten house. He denied that they were enemies of religion, but said that they realised the great mistake of following religion that was taught hypocritically. They wanted religion applied fairly to humanity. Ninety per cent. of the people of Great Britain were compelled to live in houses that broke every law of science.

FERMANAGH MEDICAL INSPECTORSHIP.

DUBLIN DOCTOR ELECTED.

At the election of a medical inspector by the Fermanagh Regional Committee on Saturday, under the new Education Act, there were five applicants—Dr. Todd, Magauresbridge; Dr. Percy Johnston, Kesh; Dr. Olive Kennedy (wife of Dr. Kennedy, Portatewart); Dr. Arthur Dickson, of Frankford avenue, Rathgar, Dublin; and Dr. Elisabeth Armstrong, of Lurgan.

Mr. James Cooper, M.P., moved the election of Dr. Dickson as a man who had served his country in France, who had been twice wounded, and was a Fermanagh man, born and bred.

Colonel Barton seconded.

Mr. Clarke, J.P., called upon the Committee to redeem its promise to those who served in the war. (Hear, hear.)

The Bishop of Clogher, who was the only member of the Committee absent, wrote that if he had been able to be present he would have voted for Dr. Dickson.

Dr. Kennedy was proposed by Mr. Geddis, B.A., and seconded by Mr. Thomas Elliott, J.P.

The Rev. A. J. Jenkins proposed Dr. Armstrong to keep her in the running.

On a poll, ten voted for Dr. Dickson and ten for Dr. Kennedy, and the Chairman (Lord Belmore, D.L.) gave his casting vote to Dr. Dickson, as he said that the Bishop, if present, would have given him his vote.

Protests against the Chairman's action were made by Mr. Kirkpatrick and Mr. Geddis, and a warm scene followed.

Dr. Dickson was then formally declared elected.

A HONEYMOON HINT.

A story told by Captain C. T. Forcroft, Bath's M.P., at a Conservative meeting at Bath—

"Once, in Switzerland, I met a very nice German gentleman who told me that he was on his honeymoon.

"'I congratulated him and asked to be presented to the bride.

"'I am sorry,' the German replied, 'but there wasn't enough money for both, so I had to come alone.'"

CIVIC GUARDS' BAND.

A recital by the Civic Guards' Band at the Depôt, Phœnix Park, last evening, was well patronised, and proved a very enjoyable entertainment. Under the direction of Superintendent Delaney, the bandsmen discoursed selections from Saint-Saëns, Brahms, Beethoven and Liszt, and their individual and ensemble playing was much appreciated. Stanford's "Shamus O'Brien" and an Irish Lullaby were also played. The vocalists were Miss Agnes O'Kelly and Mr. David Leggs.

Personally, I went to a public school, and so missed being educated.—Mr. C. R. W. Nevinson.

IN THEATRE AND PICTURE HOUSE.

ATTRACTIONS FOR THIS WEEK.

"Tons of Money" is paying a return visit to the Gaiety Theatre this week. The story revolves merrily round a yearning for enormous wealth, and what happened when the dream came true. Ivan Leslie will appear as Aubrey Allington, inventor, and in making the most of the laughable complexities of the piece he will have the support of a company of clever artists, among whom are Ninette Raynon, William Allison and Betty Marshall.

"Wake Up" is the title of the revue at the Theatre Royal. The principal comedian, Jack Gallagher, will appear in a number of sketches. Other members of the company are Harry Wilson, tenor; "The Futurists," Billy and Doris Hanley, and the Twelve Wide-Awake Girls.

The comedians, Layton and Johnstone, who seldom appear outside London, and who are well known to all wireless enthusiasts, will appear at the Theatre Royal during the week commencing May 11th.

"The Spook Sonata" and "The Wedding Morning," performed by the Dublin Drama League, at the Abbey Theatre, last night, will be repeated this evening. The programme for the remainder of the week comprises "Fanny's First Play" (first production), by Mr. George Bernard Shaw, and "The Workhouse Ward."

"Crisps" is the title of this week's revue at the Olympia Theatre. In the cast are Dan Raynor, the Alhambra Girls, Fred. E. Taylor, the Beswick Twins, and the Syncopating Harmonics.

At the Queen's Theatre the revue, "Flickers and Flashes," will be produced. Mirth, melody and graceful dancing are said to be its chief attractions.

Owing to its popularity, "The Thief of Bagdad" is being retained at La Scala Theatre. "Captain Blood" has been booked for a further week by the management of the Metropole Cinema.

"Flirting with Love" is the principal picture at the Grafton Picture House. It deals in part with the life of a stage "star," and tells how a girl who mocked love until Cupid took his revenge, and she was married to her greatest enemy, Colleen Moore and Conway Tearle appear in leading roles.

The Bohemian Picture Theatre, which was re-opened last evening, has arranged a splendid picture and variety programme for this week. The film is "The White Moth," showing Barbara La Marr. Mr. A. Dunn, tenor, will sing excerpts from favourite composers, and Mr. Jack Crosbie and Miss Kathleen Markey will appear in a high-class vaudeville "turn." Orchestral music and organ solos form a very pleasing part of the week's programme.

"The Gaiety Girl," to be screened at the Carlton Theatre illustrates the gay night life of London, and the revelry of the Gaiety actresses. It tells of a girl who is forced by circumstances to go on the stage, and is tricked into an odious marriage.

At the Sackville Picture House Gladys Walton appears in "Gossip" and José Collins in "The Secret Mission."

"Konigsmark," having proved a big attraction at the Grand Central Cinema, is being retained for another week.

"Dudley" is the principal picture at the Princess Cinema, Rathmines. From Thursday till the end of the week Tom Mix and his pony will appear in "Mile A Minute Romeo."

"The Last of the Duanes," from Zane Grey's well-known novel, is to be shown at the Pavilion, Kingstown. Tom Mix plays the leading part. New comedies, pictorial, etc., are also on the programme.

The annual Press Fund concert will take place in the Theatre Royal on Sunday evening next at 7.30, and, in addition to the Civic Guard Band, the following are announced to appear:—Phibsborough Musical Society, conductor, Mr. W. Brown; Miss Mamie Dingle, and Miss Terrie Owens, soprano; Miss Agnes O' Kelly, contralto; Mr. John MacDonagh's comedy sketch, "Prohibition," Mr. John MacDonagh, Mr. Lionel Day, Mr. Jimmy O'Dea; the Lyric Quartet; Miss Eileen Gunning, Miss Joan Burke, Mr. Joseph O'Neill, Mr. Irvine Lynch, Mr. David Legge, Mr. Patrick O'Toole, Mr. W. J. Lemass, Mr. Chris Bruton, Mr. C. J. Williams, Miss Terry O'Connor, violinist; Mr. W. Mc. Rafter whistler; "Independent" Choir, conductor, Mr. William McGauran. Miss Lucy Leenane and Mr. Vincent O'Brien will be at the piano.

To-morrow, at 2.30 o'clock, the pupils of the Misses Mullins will appear in a ballet entitled "The Silver Lining," at the Gaiety Theatre, in aid of the Orphan Fund of the Institute of Journalists.

THE ARAN ISLANDS AND CONNEMARA.

PAINTINGS BY MR. CHARLES LAMB.

In the well-lighted gallery, 7 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, there is on view an extremely interesting collection of oil paintings by Mr. Charles Lamb, A.R.H.A., one of our young and rising artists. The subjects are exclusively confined to scenes at the Aran Islands and Connemara, and it is a matter of congratulation to find our painters selecting for illustration these comparatively remote and not very widely known districts, for such canvases form and excellent and useful object-lesson to tourists and others in search of the picturesque.

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Nearly all Mr. Lamb's sketches have been well chosen in point of immediate subject. There are a few figure canvases, and of these by far the most striking is (No. 11) a "Young Connemara Girl." It is a truly characteristic study, excellent in drawing, strong and forcible in colour, and quite masterful in the manner in which the expression is conveyed. The management of the light, too, falling on the folds of the rough red shawl, is noticeable, and the work conveys the impression of being absolutely true to life. On the wall immediately opposite hangs a particularly clever picture—"Back from the Strand." The three figures—fisher folk or kelp-gatherers—are strongly drawn, and the suggestion of movement is admirably conveyed.

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"An Old Connemara Women" deserves to be studied for its quick, but no less subtle and impressive, treatment. The face is strong and full of character. There are quite a number of very clever "bits" of wayside scenes—a street in the quaint old Claddagh (No. 6), "A Calm Evening," "Great Man's Bay," and "Carraroe" are good examples.

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No. 12, a Connemara boat leaving Aran, will appeal to anyone who has witnessed the familiar scene, and it is clear that the artist has caught with perfect precision the local spirit and suggestiveness of this scene, as of the other coast scenes he has chosen. Among these may be mentioned No. 1, Inishmore, a sketch, "Gathering Seaweed" and a "Big Sea, Aran." This latter is a clever transcript of the angry surge and strife of the billows, and there is an excellent counterpart in (No. 16) "The Sea Off Connemara."

FREE STATE SHIPPING DIRECTORY.

THIRD ISSUE NOW ON SALE.

The third issue of "The Merchant Shipping List and Postal Directory," relating to shipping in the Irish Free State, has now been published and may be purchased from Messrs. Eason and Son, Lower Sackville street, Dublin.

The publication should prove a handy book of reference for all shipowners, ship masters, and others interested in the Mercantile Marine Service. It contains full lists of the steamships, motor vessels, sailing-vessels and fishing boats registered in the Free State, and particulars relating to staffs employed in connection with the administration of the Merchant Shipping Acts, to harbour authorities, shipping services from the ports and the docking and bunkering facilities available, the life saving arrangements round the coasts, the various lights, buoys and beacons, together with an amount of other useful information.

Shopbreaking in Donegal.—At the Newtowncunningham District Court, District Justice Walsh ordered a young man named William Dougal, of the Newtowncunningham district, a month's imprisonment, with hard labour, for breaking into a local lock-up shop and stealing a quantity of cigarettes.

FARMERS MUST CO-OPERATE.

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do this, they, for their part, must do likewise. After all, it was the middle class artisan consumer that should be their guide in the breeding of their cattle even in the remotest parts of the country. What had happened in connection with butter would happen one day in connection with cattle unless they sent across to their customers a different class of beast.

In deciding on a policy they had to consider the economic factor and the requirements of the market. The total output from the cattle industry might be divided into two classes—beef cattle and dairy produce. The income from store and beef cattle was, roughly, 22 millions sterling per annum. For dairy produce, for home and export, it amounted to over eight millions per annum. This did not mean that the dairying side was of secondary importance, but if they were to develop it, they would have to improve their dairy cows, which were the basis of the cattle industry.

The improvement of the cattle industry should be considered under two aspects. First, improvement in milk yields; and secondly, improvement in their breeding qualities. Improvement of milk yields was absolutely essential if the dairying industry, as a whole, and the store cattle raising industry was to succeed. There was ample provision for all farmers who wanted to improve their cattle through the Department's schemes. There was no excuse for not improving milk yields. Progress, slow at first, was becoming more rapid.

POOR MILK YIELD.

There were now over 50,000 cows under test as regards milk yield. That, however, was only three per cent. of the total cow population of the Free State. It emphasised what remained to be done, and the Department would not be satisfied until at least 30 per cent. of the cows were under test. What they should aim at was a cow giving 800 gallons of milk per annum. It would take a number of years to attain that. Such cows would also be capable of breeding first-class beef animals. It had been demonstrated that this could be done.

Under the peculiar conditions of this country it was essential that they should have a dual purpose animal. This meant that they must select thick, short-legged cows that would have good udders and give heavy milk yields. These should be mated with bulls that were also short-legged.

BULLS TOO TALL.

The bane of cattle-breeding in this country was the number of tall bulls everywhere in use. Two of the outstanding faults in Irish cattle to-day were that they were too tall, and that they were bad over the loins and back. This made their cattle unsuitable for the high-class trade in Smithfield. Consequently, the breeding animals selected should be compact and short-legged. For this purpose they had excellent foundation stock in the non-pedigree dairy shorthorn scattered over the country, except in Kerry and along the Western seaboard. With animals bred from such stock there was no reason why they should not be exporting less than two per cent. of unsuitable animals.

Having secured a really good foundation stock they would have broken the "backbone" of the problem. It was then a matter of selecting breeding bulls. In this country they reared about 1,100,000 calves. Quarter of a million of these were destined to be dairy animals, while the remainder were intended for beef. This meant that there was a definite limit to the extent to which it would be wise to use pure dairy bulls.

After securing their position as regards dairy cattle they should use bulls that would produce the best store or beef cattle possible. Of the beef breed available, the chief were beef shorthorns, Aberdeen-Angus and Hereford. Any of these might be used, and in 95 cases out of 100 the produce would be capable of topping the Smithfield market.

THE ONLY WAY.

If there was a future in the dead meat industry it lay in the production of a type of beef that could compete with the best from elsewhere. They had to get rid of the three and the three-and-a-half years old bullock, and reduce the age of finishing to two or two-and-a-half years. The whole future of the beef industry in Ireland lay in that direction, and the sooner farmers changed their methods the better. Farmers who were not prepared to change with the times would be put out of business so far as cattle rearing was concerned. This meant better care of young stock from the beginning, more feeding, and also more tillage. They would not turn out their cattle any better by importing more feeding stuffs.

The farmer would gain considerably by the production of more home-grown foods, and until the farmers of Ireland were prepared to grow more home-grown foodstuffs, and to convert these into high-class beef, they could not make much progress. This was the only means of saving the cattle industry of the country.

WHAT LONDON WANTS.

Mr. Reading, a cattle salesman, of Smithfield, London, said that eight million people in London drew their main supply from Smithfield. There was always a ready sale for first-class beef, which brought the top price, but there was little use in looking for a good price for big, ugly three or four-year-olds with long legs. The London butchers would not take it. At present Scottish beef ranked as first quality. It had the greatest reputation, although experienced salesmen knew that much of it was originally Irish. There was not the slightest doubt that, within a year or two, Irish meat could be improved until it ranged with the best Scotch.

The London butcher was a good judge of meat, and would recognise quality no matter where it came from. When Canadian stores came in, salesmen did not expect that they would bring good prices, but the quality was now up to the level required, and they sold well. Irish beef would do as well if the right quality was supplied. Irish cattle in the past had suffered from bad handling.

HOW TO FEED.

Professor E. J. Sheehy, of the Animal Nutrition Section, Department of Agriculture, addressed the meeting on "The Economic Production of Beef." On many Irish farms at present they would find living skeletons of cattle. It was urged in their favour that they cost little to keep during the winter, and that they advanced rapidly when put on the grass in summer. In that respect things were better in Wexford than in most parts of the country, but it was bad economics.

If they examined the cost of production of these cattle they would find that the calf dropped in March, 1924, cost, by the time it was fifteen months old, £9. They would agree that a calf fifteen months old that had been badly wintered and was not exceptional would not fetch more than £9 in June. If kept for another year it would cost £14, and would not fetch more. They could add £5 to that as the cost of a further year. That meant when a three-and-a-half-year-old would cost £19, whereas it would probably not fetch more than £17. In other words, the animals barely paid up to two years old, and there was a loss after that age.

Fattening was a profitable alternative to that disastrous system. Many farmers held that it was impossible to fatten cattle while they were young and growing. The idea also had been held that pigs could not be fattened until they were a year old. Now they were fattened and sold at about five months.

They would have to learn to fatten cattle as the Scots did, and as was done in England and Wales. They had at the Department's stations cattle which were calved in January, 1924, and in a few weeks these would be ready for the butcher. It was possible to fatten them at any age. It was an expensive proposition, but it was a question of cost and profit.

If they took a herd of cattle in the autumn of last year and put them into a house, and divided them into two groups, feeding one as stores and fattening the others, they would find a considerable difference in their appearance in spring. If they were well-bred cattle the difference would be a wide one. Yet the extra cost of fattening would be only £4 each, whereas the extra value

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

BROADCASTING IN THE FREE STATE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Wireless broadcasting is not in the Free State receiving the attention it demands. In the short time since its discovery developments have been so great, and appreciation of its possibilities so widespread that already numerous millions of people in all parts of the world are awake to the fact that wireless telephony is no longer merely a scientific novelty, but has become a factor of civilisation. As an instrument of education its importance, if properly conducted, is incalculable, especially in a country with a large and scattered rural population. Not only may lectures and addresses on agriculture and other educational subjects be broadcast to classes in schools, but also to individuals in their homes.

The farmer may at his home receive daily weather forecasts, market prices, seasonal hints and suggestions, the correct time, and keep in touch with current events, while the monotony of the winter evenings may be relieved by vocal and instrumental music of the highest class. In the Free State, under favourable conditions of the atmosphere, the programmes broadcast from the English and some of the Continental stations may be enjoyed. Excellent, however, as they are, they will not bring us very far. They do not cater for the tastes or needs of this country, nor are these stations designed to serve listeners so distant as we are. We are, on that account, depending on attenuated waves, requiring delicate detectors and high amplification—which means high cost to the listener and, at best, reception accompanied by noise which, under not infrequent unfavourable atmospheric conditions, becomes intolerable. Those who have never listened in where only cheap crystal sets are required do not know broadcasting at its best.

It is time that we had a broadcasting station of our own. There are obvious objections to State management of such an undertaking, while the dangers, if it is allowed to fall into hands merely for exploitation on commercial lines, are unthinkable. We have, however, the Royal Dublin Society. Could not its Council be induced to undertake this great service to agriculture, education, and social well-being? The work would appear to be wholly in keeping with its aims and splendid records.

The Society has been the pioneer of so many movements which have borne fruit in science and agriculture, and has sought to afford education and encouragement, especially to rural communities, that it would seem that it has here at hand an instrument of enormous power for the extension of its great work. The Society has an efficient organisation, while its Council and committees include many men distinguished in science and art no less than in agriculture.

There should be little, if any, difficulty in arranging for co-ordinated action with government, educational and other agencies. The Society's splendid work in fostering musical taste and its recitals have become noteworthy. The broadcasting of these recitals and of the afternoon lectures would have widespread beneficial results.—Yours, &c.,

G. MARSHALL HARRISS.

Montrose, Queen's Park, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, April 18, 1925.

HUGUENOTS IN IRELAND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Touching your interesting article about Portarlington, the title of Earl of Galway was conferred upon a Huguenot, the Marquis of Ruvigny, for having retrieved the day at Aughrim by leading a body of horse through the morass and turning the left wing of the Irish Army at the moment when King Ruth was waving his hat and exclaiming that the English should be beaten back to Dublin. (Macaulay's "History," Vol. II., 1756.) Macaulay gives the following account of his father:—"The Marquess of Ruvigny had been during many years an eminently faithful and useful servant of the French Government. So highly was his merit appreciated at Versailles that he had been solicited to accept indulgences which scarcely any other heretic could by any solicitation obtain. He had he chosen to remain in his native country, he and his household would have been permitted to worship God privately according to their own forms. But Ruvigny rejected all offers, cast in his lot with his brethren, and at upwards of eighty years of age quitted Versailles, where he might still have been a favourite, for a modest dwelling at Greenwich. That dwelling was, during the last months of his life, the resort of all that was most distinguished among his fellow-exiles. His abilities, his experience and his munificent kindness made him the undisputed chief of the refugees. His sister had been Countess of Southampton, and he was uncle of Lady Russell. His two sons, both men of eminent courage, devoted their swords to the service of William. The younger son, who bore the name of Caillemot, was appointed colonel of one of the Huguenot regiments of foot. . . . Ruvigny lived just long enough to see these arrangements (for the Irish campaign) complete."

In a footnote Macaulay says that there is some interesting information about Ruvigny and about the Huguenot regiments in a narrative written by a French refugee of the name of Dumont. The narrative was in manuscript and was lent to Macaulay by Dr. Vignoles, Dean of Ossory. Where is that manuscript now? I think it is little more than forty years since Dean Vignoles died, and his son, Chancellor Vignoles, lived for many years later. It should be printed.

Professor Flinders Petrie shows how France still suffers from the expulsion of the Huguenots, which "drained it of the active middle-class minds, and left the great gap in the continuity of sympathy which made the Revolution possible. The later expulsion and extermination also of the active upper-class minds drained that land of nearly all the hereditary ability of the race." The same thing is happening in Ireland to-day.

The French records at Portarlington, of which your correspondent writes, ought to be published. I have the old Service Book of the French Church. The first forty-eight pages are missing and some of the last. It has the Psalms" in verse, set to music. The notes are diamond shaped.—Yours, etc.,

"K."

Queen's County, April 18th, 1925.

"FOREIGN GAMES."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have played cricket, I have played rugby, I have played "Soccer" and I have played Gaelic Athletic Association football. I still exercise with boys, and especially at cricket. Hence it is scarcely necessary for me to state that I entirely agree with the arguments and comments in your article on the conduct of the Gaelic Athletic Association. It is a narrow, niggard and, from one standpoint, a nasty, bigoted view of sport. In no other civilised country would such intolerant and immoderate conduct be condoned or countenanced.

To impose suspension for three months on members attending matches, in any of these undefined sports, even as spectators," is not only unreasonable, but, in my humble estimation, unjust. Does this command comprise attendance at even internationals in England, Scotland and Wales? I have spoken to many men, members of the G.A.A., who said to me that such illogical, illiberal spirit would eliminate not only Irish sport, but Irish sportsmen—and we are supposed to be the best sportsmen in the world. Why should we not cultivate what we Irishmen have not yet learned—to agree to differ among ourselves and to acknowledge that others have opinions and principles as good as our own, even in sport. I believe "Soccer" to be the most scientific game in the football world, but I do not expect every Irishman to agree with me. Yet how thin is the line dividing "Soccer" from G.A.A. football.—Yours, etc.,

"CELTIC."

Co. Tipperary, April 18th, 1925.

COACHBUILDING AND PROTECTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is rumoured that Mr. Blythe, Minister for Finance, will introduce in his next Budget a 25 *per cent.* tariff on coach-building materials coming into the Free State viz., bent wood such as shafts, panels, rings and wheels. It is a well-known fact that there is no harder hit industry in the Free State than coach-building. This tax may help a few firms of benders, with an interest in coach-building, but it will be at the expense of hundreds of coach-builders in this country. We must assume that this tax will be paid by the coach-builder to someone, whether he uses home or foreign materials. He may try to get over it from his customer; but the coach-builder's customer is, as a rule, the poor struggling farmer, and he cannot pay the extra price. Even at the present price it is nearly impossible to make a sale. Thus the income may be a direct tax on the coach-builder, which will knock the industry out of existence.—Yours, etc.,

MICHAEL MILLETT.

Morris, Co. Carlow, April 18th, 1925.

MR. HOGAN AT WEXFORD : IRISH GOLFERS AT HOYLAKE : BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP : R 33's RETURN.

Mr. H. R. Reading, of Smithfield, describing London's Meat Market.

Demonstration at Wexford Meat Factory.
Messrs. B. Cooke, C. J. Sheehy, H. R. Reading, D. Tormey (Department of Agriculture), Senator Irwin, Messrs. M. Doyle, T.D.; P. J. Hogan (Minister of Agriculture), R. Corish, T.D.; M. Rowe, and Colonel C. M. Gibbon.

INTERNATIONAL GOLF.—The Irish members of the Irish-Welsh Team that met England at Hoylake last Saturday.
Messrs. R. M. and W. G. McConnell, Dr. George Price (Hon. Sec., G.U.I.), Messrs. R. Lowe, W. Carroll, and J. F. Stevenson.

Mr. P. J. Hogan addressing the Farmers at Wexford.

Some of the Dancers at the Queen's County Hunt Ball.

BADMINTON.—Dunmurry (Belfast) Team, who lost to Dalkey in the Irish Junior Cup.
Front row:—Miss Beatty, Miss Smith, Miss Erskine, and Miss Blair.
Back row:—Messrs. J. and A. Turner, Clarke, and Richie.

Flight-Lieutenant R. S. Booth, 1st Officer of the R 33, who was in command during her adventurous voyage over the North Sea.

LATEST FASHION. — A Russian-shaped Toque of Tagal Straw, with crown swathed with pleated satin ribbon and finished off in picturesque style at side.

Some of the Dancers at the Queen's County Hunt Ball.

GOULDING CUP FINAL.—A Forward Movement by the Railway Clearing House against the G.S. and W.R.

Captain Maher at Leopardstown Races last Saturday.

Dalkey Team that beat Dunmurry.
Front row:—Miss McLoughlin, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Fry.
Back row:—Messrs. Frazer, Evans, West, and Booth.

Some Members of the New French Cabinet.
M. Durafour (Labour), M. Laurent Eynac (Air), M. Laval (Public Works), A. Nesse (Colonies), M. Painlevé (Premier), M. Caillaux (Finances), M. Briand (Foreign Affairs), M. Doumergue, M. Schrameck (Interior), M. Steeg (Justice), M. Antériou (Pensions), M. Chaumet (Colonies), M. Ossola (War), M. Dourand (Agriculture), M. Borel (Marine).

HOW THE R 33 CAME HOME.—The great Airship being towed into the Shed at Pulham after her adventurous voyage over the North Sea.

Mr. Cyril Tolley, the Captain of the English side which defeated Ireland and Wales.

NAVAL WEDDING.—Lieutenant Thornton Jones (of H.M.S. Excellent) and Miss Margaret Robinson, who were married at St. Michael's, Chester square, London.

Mr. Stokes, who lost to Mr. Tolley at Hoylake.

CHARGE AGAINST A RATE COLLECTOR.

At a Special Court at the Civic Guard barracks, Carrick-on-Shannon, on Saturday, before Mr. M. McGrath, Peace Commissioner, Charles Pinkman, Carrick, Keshcarrigan, a former collector of the Leitrim County Council, who was taken into custody by the Royal Ulster Constabulary at Enniskillen and handed over to the Guards, was charged with having embezzled a sum of £349 15s. 3d., the property of Leitrim County Council.

Only evidence of arrest was given by Guard Thomas Brown, who stated he took the accused into custody at Blacklion on the previous day.

Pinkman was remanded to the next District Court at Carrick-on-Shannon, bail being measured in £400 and two surities of £200 each.

GETTING IT IN THE NECK.

At this time of the year many people—particularly men—suffer from skin eruptions in the form of boils on the neck. To prevent the appearance of these unsightly and painful eruptions a little Gibsol Ointment should be gently rubbed into the back of the neck each night before retiring. Stiff collars, with frayed edges, must not be worn. If this advice is followed there is little danger of an outbreak. Gibsol is sold by chemists everywhere.—(Advt.)

Every one of "the wild men of the Clyde" is a total abstainer.—The Rev. James Barr.

THE DUBLIN DRAMA LEAGUE.

The Dublin Drama League, last night in the Abbey Theatre, produced with great success "The Spook Sonata," by August Strindberg, and "The Wedding Morning," by Arthur Schnitzler. "The Spook Sonata" is one of the later pieces of dramatic work by Strindberg, having been written in 1907. Realism and phantasy are strangely blended in it, and the poetry of thought is mixed with the common-place in a way that presents something weird. Paul Ruttledge was an excellent study of the Student. Miss Shelah Richards acted with grace in the part of the Young Lady. Gabriel J. Fallon as Old Hummel and Miss Maeve McMorrough as the Mummy were clever exponents of their characters. All, indeed, were deserving of praise. The cast was completed by Miss Annie Evans, Miss May Craig, Miss Joan Sullivan, Miss Dorothy Lynd, Miss Christine Hayden, and Arthur Shields, F. J. McCormick, Tony Quinn, M. J. Scott, and P. J. Carolan.

"The Wedding Morning," a comedy in one act, was well played by Miss Margot Brunton, and Arthur Ward, R. H. Colwill and Pablo Quesada.

The country cannot afford the abuse which undoubtedly exists in respect to the unemployed donation if trade is to be revived and developed.—Sir Edwin Stockton.

DSTINGUISHED INVALIDS.

The Duke of Devonshire continues to make good progress.

Lady Frederick Cavendish, widow of Lord Frederick Cavendish, who was assassinated in the Phœnix Park, is lying seriously ill at her residence at Penshurst, Kent. Her condition last night was unchanged.

The condition of the Earl of Ypres is satisfactory.

The word aristocracy has become almost ridiculous since the financial operations of a series of party Whips have turned the House of Lords into a predominantly middle-class assembly.—Dean Inge.

NORMAN THORNE'S FATE.

Mr. J. C. Thorne, father of Norman Thorne, received on Saturday night by the last post a letter from the Home Secretary, informing him that he deeply regretted that he saw no reason to justify him in advising His Majesty to interfere with the due course of the law in the case of his son.

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4.0-5.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Tea-Time Music. "Human Side of Shakespeare," by Miss F. E. M. Macaulay. 6.0-6.30—Children's Corner. 6.30—Children's Letters. 6.40—Radio Society of Great Britain—Bulletin. 6.45—Music. S.B. to all Stations. 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben, Weather Forecast and News. S.B. to all Stations. Mr. W. M. R. Pringle, "Doings and Personalities in Parliament." S.B. to all Stations. 7.25—Music. S.B. to all Stations, except Belfast. 7.40—Topical Talk. 8.0—Orchestral Evening. Bella Redford (Soprano), John Van Eyt (Bass). The Brompton Quartet. A. E. Nickolds and Albert H. Howe (Entertainers). Frank Dunlop and Dorothy Wills (Entertainers). The Wireless Orchestra. 10.0—Time Signal from Greenwich, Weather Forecast and News. S.B. to all Stations. Sir William Schooling: "Insuring, Saving, Spending." S.B. to all Stations, except Belfast. 10.30—The Orchestra. 11.0—Close down.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.

3.30-4.30—The Station Wind Quintet. 5.0-5.30—Women's Corner. 5.30-6.30—Children's Corner. 6.40-7.55—Programme S.B. from London. 8.0—Old Memories. The Station Orchestra. Isabel Tebbs (Soprano), Winifred Morris (Contralto), Geoffrey Dams (Tenor), James Howell (Bass). 10.0—Weather Forecast and News. Sir William Schooling. 10.30—A Contrast. Musical Comedy Numbers from current London successes. Florence Cleeton (Soprano). 11.0—Close down.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—385 Metres.

5.45-6.0—Talk to Women. Royal Bath Hotel Dance Orchestra. 5.0-6.0—Children's Corner. 6.0-6.30—Scholars' Half-Hour. 6.40-7.55—Programme S.B. from London. 8.0—The Seasons. Mavis Bennett (Soprano), Ina Jansen (Mezzo-Soprano), John Turner (Tenor), Madoc Davies (Baritone). The Wireless Orchestra, conducted by Capt. W. A. Featherstone Spring. 10.0—Weather Forecast and News. Sir William Schooling. 10.30—Half-an-Hour Orchestral Request. 11.0—Close down.

CARDIFF (5WA)—331 Metres.

3.0-4.0—Falkman and his Orchestra, relayed from the Capitol Cinema. 4.0-4.30—New Gramophone Records. 5.0-5.30—"5WA's" "Five O'Clocks." 5.30-6.15—Children's Corner. 6.15-6.30—Teens' Corner: Stamp Talk. 6.40-7.40—Programme S.B. from London. 7.40—Mr. Guy Pocock: "The Little Room." The Glanhowy Concert Party. The Station Orchestra. 9.5—"Wild Man Wigley of the Woods." 9.35—Concert Party. 10.0—Weather Forecast and News. Sir William Schooling. 10.30—Concert Party. 10.45—Orchestra. 11.0—Close down.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.

3.30-4.0—Broadcast for Schools. (3.30) M. Albert Thouaille, M.A. (Paris), Reading of French. (3.45) Mr. James Bernard, Reading of English Literature. 4.0-5.15—Concert by the "2ZY" Quartet and Herbert Deveney (baritone). Talk to Women. 5.30-6.30—Children's Corner. 6.40-7.40—Programme S.B. from London. 7.40—Mr. E. Sims Hilditch on "Music." 8.0—Dance Night. 10.0—Weather Forecast and News. Sir William Schooling. 10.30—Dance Music. 11.0—Close down.

GLASGOW (5SC)—420 Metres.

3.30-4.30—The Wireless Quartet and Susan McKinney (soprano). 4.45-5.15—Women's Half-hour. 5.15-6.0—Children's Corner. 6.0-6.5—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.40-7.55—Programme S.B. from London. 8.0—Band Night. Band of 1st Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers. 10.30—Laurence Macauley, Band. 11.0—Close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—435 Metres.

4.0-5.0—The "2BE" Quartet. 5.30-6.15—Children's Corner. 7.0—Weather Forecast and News. S.B. from London. Mr. W. M. R. Pringle. S.B. from London. 7.30—Sonic—Literature—Instrumental. The Station Orchestra. Thelma Peterson (mezzo-soprano), T. O. Corrin (solo pianoforte). Orchestra: March. "Handel Wakes" (Morrecay); Overture, "Athalie" (Mendelssohn); Four Dances from "The Blue Bird" (O'Neill) (4). Thelma Peterson: Aria with Orchestra, "O Mio Fernando" (Donizetti). T. O. Corrin: Second Suite for Pianoforte (York Bowen) (24). Thelma Peterson: "The Lament of Isis" (Bantock); "The Bough of May" (Walford Davies); "A Garden is a Lovesome Thing" (Mallinson); "Kishmul's Galley" (Kennedy-Fraser) (3). Orchestra: Suite from "Where the Rainbow Ends" (Quilter) (4). Thelma Peterson: "Life and Death" (Coleridge-Taylor); "The Little Prince" (Dorothy Howell); "Songs My Mother Taught Me" (Dvorak); "Song of the Open" (*La Forge*). Orchestra: Entr'acte, "Fleurette d'Amour" (Fletcher). 10.0—Weather Forecast and News. S.B. from London. Dr. R. W. Livingstone, Vice-Chancellor of Queen's University, "Some Views of Life in the Ancient World—A Map of Letters." Local News. 10.30—Orchestra: Valse, "Rouge et Noir" (Lotter). 10.55—Close down.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

THE GUINEAS.

CAN OOJAH BEAT PICAROON?

TAPIN UNCERTAIN.

STABLE OF PROMISING FILLIES.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Sunday Night.

When racing was over at Newmarket on Friday last I went to see the horses trained by Dawson Waugh at Somerville Lodge, where there is stabled a priceless collectino of two-year-old fillies. Of most immediate interest, however, was Oojah, the dark chestnut son of Bachelor's Double and Confey, who was bred by Mr. J. J. Maher. This was a very handsome and a very good colt last season, but I was a little surprised at the very remarkable improvement that even he had made, and on looks alone I would take him now before either Picaroon or Zionist.

He has grown better than either, and when he goes into the paddock before the Two Thousand I think he will command both these. There was a general idea gathered from some of his performances last season that he would not stay. I do not think for a moment that this suggestion is entertained by his trainer, for in his home work he has never suggested anything of the kind, rather the contrary, in fact.

I would not be so rash as to say that he will beat Picaroon in the Guineas next week, but he will assuredly beat a great many of the others. He runs for the Esher Cup at Sandown on Thursday, and I expect him to give a foretaste of his quality by winning there under his nine stone.

Of the fillies of Somerville Lodge it would be difficult to write adequately unless one had a whole page at one's disposal. I imagine that no stable has sheltered such a group since Taylor had that wonderful batch that belonged to the late Lord Manton—Two Step, Lady Juror, Sister-in-Law, Tetrabazzia, etc. Between them they cost a small fortune, and they may be worth a bigger fortune at the end of this season. No one could help lingering long in the box of Belle Scott, the superb bay by Sea-Law out of Lady Cecilia, who was bred at Sledmere, and made the second highest price, 6,100 guineas, of any filly sold at Doncaster, her purchaser being the American millionaire, Mr. J. W. Corrigan. She has grown into a filly of the rarest quality, who if she goes on as she has done since she came to Newmarket, may be anything.

Waugh did great things in the past two seasons with a Son-in-Law filly, by name Straitlace. It would be idle to institute comparisons between them or indulge in prophecy, and I will only say now that Jeddart, who won races in Roman Maid is another owned by Mr. Corrigan, by The Tetrarch out of Curia, also Sledmere bred, who cost 3,500 guineas. She, too, is a magnificent specimen of a racehorse in the making.

Then Sir Edward Hulton has a truly beautiful dark-brown daughter of Swynford and Moness called Moquette, who has some of the Swynford characteristics that were seen in Tranquil, and another massive filly by Gainsborough out of Mabella, bought from Lady James Douglas for 3,100 guineas, a Doncaster, who has been named Malonie. Prison is a charming daughter of Friar Marcus and Orlass, who is more forward than most of the others, and Ribstone is a beautiful, but more backward, bay by Blink out of Russet. The only one of the fillies in this yard who does not seem quite on the same level as the better class is one that we have realised the promise she gave in the sale ring is Parth's half sister, Withey, who has not grown a great deal, and who, in the opinion of her trainer, needs a lot of time.

STRAITLACE AND JEDDART.

I have not seen this year the two-year-old fillies trained by Mr. R. C. Dawson for the Aga Khan, but if he has a better collection at Somerville Lodge he is a fortunate man. To look at Waugh's is a sight for sore eyes.

Dawson Waugh has always been particularly successful with fillies, for he won a Derby with Tagalie, and what he did last year and the previous season with Straitlace is too recent to be recalled. This trainer told me, by the way, that when Straitlace left the yard to go to the stud in the early winter, Jeddart, who was her constant travelling companion, was inconsolable for fully a month, and used to search the heath for her when out with the string. The fact that he went and rubbed his nose against her when she came back, after being beaten by St. Germans in her last race, supplied some people with a convincing proof that horses are sometimes capable of human sympathy. While on this note, I may mention that the superstitious Waugh is and ever has been confident that Gojah will win the Guineas and the Derby, the omen being the fact that a black cat chose his box in which to be delivered of her kittens a few weeks ago.

It is seldom that in Craven week people have been able to form such definite ideas about classic races, but they have a very clear idea now that Picaroon will win both the Guineas and the Derby. For my own part I could not advance a single reason why he should not do so. His performance in the Craven Stakes was without a flaw, and he improved no one more than the trainers of other prominent classic candidates. The style in which he ran away from Ethnarch and El Cacique must have set their trainer—Jarvis—thinking seriously how much his Derby hope, St. Becan, would have to be in front of them to beat Picaroon.

The hopes that Mr. Dawson cherishes of Zionist also may not have been so high after he had seen the Manton colt win in such effortless fashion. There is no doubt that Picaroon stays well, and, that being so, it is difficult to see why he should be beaten. Solario may have been a little backward in his trainer's opinion, but he will have to make a lot of improvement to beat the Manton colt in the next six weeks. There may be a "dark" one, though this season there are fewer reports than usual of such animals. The French horse, Ptolemy, or some other may be exceptional, but when one relies on the known form, it points clearly to Picaroon, and the market on the Derby very clearly expresses that opinion.

PICAROON'S CHANCES.

It is not a little strange that Beppo, in his old age and after a career at the stud that was not altogether brilliant should have sired such a one as Picaroon. I suppose, for part of the secret, we have to go back to his maternal great grand dam, Galicia, the great mare who laid the foundations of the racing fortunes of the late Mr. "Fairie" Cox, whose stud fell at his death to his brother, the present owner of Picaroon. "Picaroon," says the Special Commissioner, "is a great horse, with the priceless Blink Bonny tap root, and you cannot have better than that," and I imagine that at the moment it seems good enough for most people.

PICAROON'S CHANCES.

All the same, on looks no one would suspect Picaroon of being a great horse by comparison with some of the great horses that have won classic races in the past quarter of a century. Even the critical eye does not light on him instinctively as one who looks good enough to win classic races; for he does not quite possess the grand manner. Still, in detail, he is difficult to fault, and when he is in action he is magnificent. I suppose if he had been in some stables and had come into the paddock in Craven week looking so forward in condition many people would have said he had been hurried in his preparation, but, as it would be entirely contrary to the temperament of Taylor ever to hurry a horse, it is assumed that Picaroon has just progressed normally to his present condition, and that he will go on progressing in the same manner up to the Derby.

Minds are now becoming occupied with the City and Suburban, to be run at Epsom on Wednesday next. During the last week the position of the French colt, Tapin, has been undergoing some strange mutations. First he was favourite. Then he was knocked out to nearly double the price, only to be backed all over the country yesterday morning, and to close again a strong favourite at 6 to 1. Donoghue is in Paris to-day, and is understood to be seeing the aged owner of Tapin in order to get a decision whether or not the colt is to run on Wednesday. Some people seem to be presuming that M. Eznayan's decision will be in favour of running, judging by the money that was laid out yesterday. I expect that he will run, and that he will about win, for I take no account of his performance in the Newbury Cup, where the slow beginning destroyed his chance.

I saw Sansovino galloped with Pharos early last Wednesday morning, and he went so well that I thought he might be sent for the race. Yesterday morning the pair were galloped together again, and Pharos rather easily beat the Derby winner by about four lengths, I should say. The general opinion at Newmarket is that neither has done enough work to give either a chance in the race. If Sansovino ran on Wednesday and had the confidence of his trainer I think he would beat Tapin. Beary rides Verdict, who is well, and her trainer, W. Waugh, thinks a good deal of her chance.

CONDOVER COMES FROM FRANCE.

Bright Knight will give way to Baton Rouge, who is fancied. Condover comes from France again to run. Evander, Cockpit and Greek Bachelor are all fancied, but it is likely that the race will go to one of the horses with pretentions to class at the top of the handicap. Verdict on a memorable occasion beat the hope of France in the Cambridgeshire and she may well do so again on Wednesday, but my present impression of the race is that it will be won by TAPIN.

The Great Metropolitan, to be run on Tuesday, is nowadays but a moderate event, which often falls to a moderate horse who stays. The Esher Cup, on Thursday at Sandown, will be a much better race, for there are several nice three-year-olds engaged. I believe that Mr. R. C. Dawson's filly Blanc-Mange, a half-sister by Hainault to Blandford, is fancied, but she would have to give a better performance than at Newbury to beat, for example, Lomondside. Dignity is also very well fancied, but I expect that COJAH will give him and all the others the weight and win.

In the Tudor Stakes on Friday Mr. Gilpin may quite likely run his promising colt St. Croux. This one is better at home than Spelthorne, who has run well while backward in two races this year. Spelthorne's preparation is being timed, particularly for the Irish Derby.

After writing at such length about the great and the nearly great horses it would be in the nature of an anti-climax to devote space to describing the performances of the comparatively moderate animals who ran at Alexandra Park yesterday afternoon, where the racing was poor. The winner of the last race, a maiden plate, was Mat McGhie, who brought off an outside chance for Mr. J. Cooper, whose face is familiar on the rails at the principal Irish meetings. Every winter at St. Moritz Mr. Cooper indulges in the barbaric game of curling, which has no connection with hurling, and is a plus four man, or whatever the Scottish method of handicapping at the game is.

Last year he organised a team to play a jockeys' team captained by Mat McGee, the American who rides in France. Cooper's team was hopelessly beaten. All their shots were sliced or fooqled. "Their stones, or stanes, if I remember the instrument of play is, did everything except what they were expected to, and the players could not understand it at all. They did, however, when they discovered that the ingenious McGee had smeared the business side of their stones, or stanes, with glue, which makes a bad contact with ice. The unwonted curler had a two-year-old then without a name, so he called him Mat McGlue, to get his own back on the jockey.

To-morrow's racing is at Edinburgh, where the sport will be mostly confined to horses trained in Scotland and in the North. PTARMIGAN rose from Newmarket for the Montrose Stakes, which he should win. CYZARA, on the strength of his second to Haine at Newcastle, has a good chance for the Buccleuch Handicap, and I expect MARITIME to win the Trial Selling Plate.

GALTEE MORE.

CATTERICK

MISS CONNIE'S GOOD WIN.

STRUMA GELDING WELL BEATEN.

The second day's card at Catterick proved a big attraction and though the weather was on occasions decidedly cold the conditions remained fair to the end. Though none of the youngsters saddled for the Richmond Plate had earned winning brackets, Girls' School and Larret had run sufficiently well in their outings to cause backers to select the pair to fight out the finish. A late move by Miss Kensington Cottage, and the Weyhill youngster justified the confidence by proving an easy winner. L. Brown, the rider of the favourite, Girls' School, was fined £5 for disobedience at the post.

The Struma gelding was a warm fancy for the Oran Plate, but Taylor was early busy on him and at the distance was well beaten by Bold Peggy.

Of the four runners for the Grove Handicap Miss Connie certainly had a healthy look, and backers stood by the Doncaster-trained mare, who scored in ready fashion, the victory giving J. Taylor his eighth winning ride of the week.

The Manor House Plate was won by Brave Lassie by two lengths from Benedict. The meeting concluded with the Bainesse Plate, which fell to Magic Flower, to give Vasey his second winner and advance Taylor's score another peg.

1.30—RICHMOND TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs., and third 10 sovs. 6 f.

Mr. F. Hartigan's b. f. **KENSINGTON COTTAGE**, by The Boss, dam by Rhodesian—Sanovea, 8-9.....F. Winter 1
Mr. W. Vice's LARRET, 8-12.....Taylor 2
Mr. N. Field's SLENDERLINE, 8-9 D. Taylor 3

Also ran—Allerton (Girdley), Eaglesholt (H. Hwaites), Lady Delaney (H. Jameson), Willing Response (F. Taylor), Crystal Set (R. Crisp), Fresline (G. Hulme), Dens Mhuma f. (C. Parker), Girl's School (L. Brown). Off 1.35. (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting.—Sporting Life"—5 to 2 agst. Girl's School, 3 to 1 agst. KENSINGTON COTTAGE and Larret, 8 to 1 Slenderline, 10 to 1 Eaglesholt, 100 to 8 any other.

"Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; one length. Lady Delaney was fourth and Fresline last.

2.0—BROUGH HALL APPRENTICE HANDICAP of 150 sovs. Second 20 sovs., and third 10 sovs. 1½ m.

Lord Lonsdale's b. c. **DEMONICUS**, by Willonyx—Demeter, 4, 5-2.....D. Brown 1
Mr. G. Picken's DROPITIN, 4, 7-1 W. Nevitt 1
Mr. H. Morris' CHAPELTOWN, 4, 7-2 F. Hodges 3

Also ran—Dark Fox (F. Sharpe), Baalbek (J. Meiklein), Friendly (M. Richards), Last Crop (T. Blackburn), Minnikin's Pride (H. Bancroft), Gay (Wettlewell). Off 2.10. (Winner trained by W. Armstrong.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—2 to 1 agst. Dark Fox, 3 to 1 Chapeltown, 5 to 1 Dropitin, 8 to 1 each Baalbek and DEMONICUS, or any other.

"Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; a length and a half. Minnikin's Pride was fourth and Frisbury last.

2.30—GRAN TWO-YEAR-OLD SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. J. Moyles's f. BOLD PEGGY, by Theo Bold—Florence, 8-9.....A. Balding 1
Mr. M. Casey's STRUMA, 8-9.....J. Taylor 2
Mr. C. R. Baron's NARDOON, 8-4 A. Lindsay 3

Also ran—Wax Vestas (L. Brown), Love Spell (Girdley), Bold Lucy (J. Stanton), La Decavee (F. Hodges). Off 2.31. (Winner trained by A. Reader.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—2 to 1 on Struma, 5 to 1 agst. La Decavee, 10 to 1 BOLD PEGGY or any other.

"Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by five lengths; two lengths. La Decavee was fourth and Bold Lucy last.

The winner was bought in for 200 guineas.

3.0—GROVE HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. and third 15 sovs. 1¼ m.

Mr. H. Mollekin's b. f. **MISS CONNIE**, by Lomond—Ashbelle, 4, 9-0.....J. Taylor 1
Mr. T. Holgate's SEEKER, 4, 9-5.....R. Lynch 2
Mr. H. Stobart's TUTANKHAMEN, 4, 8-10 J. Twiddys 3

Also ran—Fastolite (C. Rawles). Off at 3.0. (Winner trained by Vasey.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—Evens MISS CONNIE, 6 to 1 agst. Seeker, 7 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; six lengths.

3.30—MANOR HOUSE SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. 7 f.

Mr. W. T. Sears' br. m. **BRAVE LASSIE**, by Brave Chap, dam by Pariman—Katie Christmas, 8, 10-7.....F. Winter 1
Mr. J. Appleton's BENEDICT, 5, 9-0 J. Taylor 2
Mr. T. Owen's BARGATE, 5, 10-1 ...A. Balding 3

Also ran—Skramnach (L. Brown), Krypton (G. Holmes), Mark Ash (J. Watt). Off at 3.30. (Winner trained by Leach, jun.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—6 to 4 agst. Bargate, 7 to 4 BRAVE LASSIE, 6 to 1 Benedict, 10 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; same. Krypton was fourth and Mark Ash last.

4.0—BAINESSE PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 1 m. 75 y.

Mr. A. Braithwaite's ch. g. **MAGIC FLOWER**, by White Magic—Wild Arum, 8, 9-11.....J. Taylor 1
Lieut.-Col. E. B. Johnson's SILVER CHALICE, 4, 8-9.....J. F. King 2
Mr. M. D. Peacock's MEDALLION, 5, 9-5 G. Hulme 3

Also ran—Fulcrum (C. Parker). Off at 4.0. (Winner trained by Vasey.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—7 to 4 agst. Silver Chalice, 9 to 4 MAGIC FLOWER, 5 to 2 Medallion, 7 to 1 Fulcrum. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by eight lengths; two lengths.

STOLE FOR RAILWAY TICKET.

Felix Lynch (19), Athlunkard street, Limerick, who was charged at Cork last Saturday with the theft of clothes, valued at £7, the property of Alfred Vitas, at the Central Hotel, Alfred street, Cork, said that he pawned the clothes to get back to Limerick. He was discharged in his own recognisance of £10 and one surety of £10, and was ordered to pay £4, costs and compensation.

LEOPARDSTOWN.

BACKERS' BAD DAY.

FOUR ODDS-ON CHANCES BEATEN.

L'AINE'S SMART WIN.

The paucity of runners notwithstanding the racing at Leopardstown on Saturday was always interesting, but backers fared disastrously, as will readily be understood when it is mentioned that four odds-on chances were bowled over. Perhaps the biggest disappointment was the failure in the chief event, the Foxrock Plate, of Lorient, a good-looking filly, trained by Behan for Major Dixon, whose Miramichi had won the Greer Plate at Phœnix Park the previous week. She, however, ran somewhat green, and was relegated into third place by L'Aine and May Pan Out, the former running on gamely under pressure to gain a meritorious victory. A furlong out the favourite momentarily flattered, but weakened a little further on, and L'Aine, responding generously to the call of his rider, won in the style of a promising colt.

Although reduced to the dimensions of a match, the Paddock Hurdle Plate was by no means devoid of interest, and in a rattling finish Petit Beau, on whom Joseph Canty rode a very well-judged race, prevailed over Dizira, and thus made some amends to the veteran, Captain G. Maher, for many failures. A field of ten contested the Silverpark Plate, for which Carrif, Oppressormore, and Maytoi were most fancied, and it was good picking albeit in the end the first-named won very comfortably indeed. When Ballyboley dropped out, after at one time holding a commanding lead, Oppressormore loomed large in the picture, but appeared to lose ground at the turn into the straight, and once they were fairly in the line for home Carrif took command of the situation, and made light of the efforts of Maytoi and Brown Valentine, the latter of whom made up a lot of ground in the closing stages, to catch her.

As was presaged in the wagering on the Glencairn Plate War Song and Watchful had most concern in the finish, and the former, who was backed freely from sizes down to 2 to 1, staying on the better, scored with a bit to spare, and at the ensuing auction was bought in for 260 guineas. Coylonese, who before coming into the possession of Mr. Coombs, cost his English connections dear, has not mended his ways was made manifest by his display in the Stand Plate, in which was far from generously, and the outsider of three, Brave Colleen, came and beat her more fancied stable companion, God Golden Street's failure in the Bray Steeplechase was yet another reverse for backers, as he proved unequal to the task of conceding close on 2st. to Noggin and Flying Laddie, the former all won easily, landed the spoils after a fine set-to. The favourite pecked slightly on landing over the last fence, but this had no bearing on the result. Details:—

3.0—THE PADDOCK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs., and the third 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1¼ m.

Captain Hayes's ch. g. **PETIT BEAU**, by Le Souvenir—Rimmage Beauty, 9-7 Jos. Canty 1
Major Gerrard's DIZIRA, 4, 10-0.....T. Kelly 2
(Winner trained by M. Dawson.)

Betting—6 to 4 on Dizira.

At a fine pace Dizira made the running for half the journey, when Petit Beau went to the front, and, holding his own in a fine finish, won by half a length. Time—3 min. 22 3-5 secs.

3.30—THE SILVERPARK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap.

Mrs. M. Ross's br. f. CARRIF, by Duke of Brandon—Glynn, aged, 10-7.....Moran 1
Mrs. T. Coombs's MAYTOI, 3, 7-2 J. Lewis 2
Mr. J. Rogers's BROWN VALENTINE, 3, 7-5 .....R. Gilbert 3

Mr. D. J. Power's Erra, 6, 10-7 ...Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. Cogley's Ballyboley, 3, 9-0 T. L. Browne 0
Mr. Comyn's Oppressormore, 3, 8-5 ...J. Canty 0
Mr. Shaw's Lomond's Lake, 3, 7-13 P. Beasley 0
Mr. Gilligan's Gilmore, 3, 8-0 .....D. Ward 0
Mr. Wallis's Vesington Orb, 3, 7-13 .....P. Treacy 0

Mr. A. M'Cann's Chicane, 3, 7-2 (car. 7-3) .....P. Treacy 0
(Winner trained by R. Moss.)

Betting—2 to 1 each aged, CARRIF and Oppressormore, 4 to 1 Maytoi, 8 to 1 each Brown Valentine and Ballyboley, 100 to 8 any other.

Carrif drew clear and opened out a long lead from Oppressormore, Brown Valentine and Maytoi and Carrif, with Brown Valentine and Oppressormore next, and Erra, with Brown Valentine and Gilmore and Erra, with Brown Valentine next. At the turn into the straight Maytoi was second, but could make no impression on Carrif, who won by four lengths; three-quarters of a length divided second and third. Erra was fourth, Oppressormore fifth, Gilmore sixth and Vesington Orb seventh. Time—1 min. 35 secs.

4.0—FOXROCK PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. For two year olds. 6 f.

Mr. A. H. Macaulay's br. c. L'AINE, by Simon Square—Eleni, 9-0 .....J. Burns 1
Mrs. T. Coombs's MAY PAN OUT, 9-0 W. Howard 2

Major Dixon's LORIENT, 8-9 .....Jos. Canty 3
Mr. W. A. Wallis's Lord Wembley, 9-0 M. Wing 0
Mr. John Doyle's Peacemaker, 9-1 Jas. Doyle 0
(Winner trained by Tierney.)

Betting—2 to 1 on Lorient, 5 to 1 agst. L'AINE, 6 to 1 each May Pan Out and Peacemaker, 20 to 1 Lord Wembley.

May Pan Out was the first to show in front, followed by L'Aine, Lorient and Peacemaker, with Lord Wembley whipping-in. After going three furlongs Lorient headed May Pan Out and L'Aine, but the latter came again and won by a length and a half; three lengths between second and third. Peacemaker was fourth. Time—67 4-5 secs.

4.30—THE GLENCAIRN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. For two year olds. 5 f.

Mr. H. I. Ussher's b. f. WAR SONG, by Happy Warrior—Psalmist, 8-4 .....M. Wing 1
Mr. J. T. Rogers's WATCHFUL, 8-9 W. Buckley 2
Mr. T. Fleming's LEEMTEE, 8-0 Jos. Harty 3
Mr. C. M'Laughlin's Millbank, 8-10 D. Ward 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Marks, 8-0 ...P. Beasley 0
Mr. J. J. M'Auley's Cross Courage, 8-0 W. Howard 0
(Winner trained by H. I. Ussher.)

Betting.—6 to 4 agst. Watchful, 2 to 1 WAR SONG, 5 to 1 each Leemtee and Millbank, 10 to 1 Cross Courage, 20 to 1 Marks.

War Song was the quickest to begin, followed by Leemtee, Watchful and Millbank, with Cross Courage last, and there was no change in this order until two furlongs from home, when Watchful took second place, but War Song easily held her at bay and won by three lengths; three-quarters of a length separated second and third. Millbank was fourth, and Marks last. Time—70 secs. The winner was bought in for 230 sovs.

5.0—THE STAND PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 1 m.

Mr. Syercecsen's br. f. BRAVE COLLEEN by Bayardo—Colleen Rhu, 4, 8-4 .....M. Wing 1
Mr. P. Clarke's SED, 3, 7-7 .....J. Patman 2
Mrs. T. Coombs's CEYLONESE, 6, 9-8 Jos. Canty 3
(Winner trained by E. Fordred.)

Betting—2 to 1 each Coylonese, 2 to 1 agst. Sed, 10 to 1 BRAVE COLLEEN.

After going a couple of furlongs Ceylonese drew to the front, followed by Sed and Brave Colleen, and this was the order until a quarter of a mile from home, when Sed drew to the front, but failed to withstand the challenge of Brave Colleen, who won easily by five lengths; a neck between second and third. Time—1 min. 55 secs.

5.30—THE BRAY STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 3 m. 100 yds.

Mrs. F. H. Brooke's b. or br. g. NOGGIN, by Juggernaut—Silver Cup, 4, 9-10 D. Ward 1
Mr. Brophy's FLYING LADDIE, 5, 9-10 T. Kelly 2
Mrs. Croft's GOLDEN STREET, 5, 11-0 J. Hogan, jun. 3
(Winner trained by M. Arnott.)

Betting.—2 to 1 on Golden Street, 4 to 1 agst. NOGGIN, 5 to 1 Flying Laddie.

Flying Laddie settled down in front of Noggin and Golden Street, and this order was maintained for two and a half miles, when Noggin assumed command and won a good race by two lengths; two lengths and a half divided second and third. Time—7 mins. 21 2-5 secs.

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THE MAZE

ALROI'S SECOND WIN.

DOUBLE FOR C. BRABAZON.

There was an improvement in the class of the sport at the Maze on Saturday, a remark which, unfortunately, did not apply to the weather, which was of the worst description imaginable. Rain set in before racing was resumed and poured down all the afternoon, while to make matters more unpleasant a piercingly cold wind swept the course.

Chief honours of the day again went to Mr. F. Barbour, whose Alroi followed up his smart win of the previous day by winning the Antrim Plate in almost easier style. This son of Santoi is apparently useful, and should credit his owner with many more stakes. Another race also fell to the Barbour-Brabazon combination when Gate Book, carrying Miss E. L. M. Barbour's colours, captured the Maralin Plate. Miss Barbour is a niece of Mr. Frank Barbour, and probably the youngest owner of a racehorse; she is still at school in the United States.

There was a very fine race for the Castlereagh Hurdle Race between Garrymore, Glenideu and Soot, the three contesting a long-drawn-out finish all the way up the straight, and it was, in the main, due to the fact of swerving that Glenideu had to be content with second place, Garrymore just lasting out long enough to gain a half-length victory.

Three of the seven runners for the Hillsborough Steeplechase refused when half the journey had been covered, and the race fell an easy prey to the comparative outsider, Linfield, ridden by Mr. M. Morrison. Westview, who shared favouritism with Mont Blanc, was one of the three put out of the race through refusing, but no excuse could be offered for Mont Blanc, who was well beaten.

Mr. F. Barbour's colours were again prominent for a long way in the Barbour Steeplechase on Rath-Luirc, but in a good finish the favourite, Grecian Wave, accounted for the son of Rhosmarket. The Lisburn Steeplechase was a tame affair, only Mariana II. and Irish Deer turning out for it, and the latter had an easy task. Details:—

1.45—THE GLENREAGH PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1¼ m.

Mr. J. P. Taaffe's b. g. GARRYMORE, by Glenesky—Miss Buttimore, a, 10-9 J. Banahan 1
Mr. T. Black's GLENIDEN, a, 9-2...J. Yorke 2
Mr. F. Barbour's SOOT, 6, 9-12 (car. 10st.) C. Donnelly 3
Mr. J. Morrison's Mr. Porta, a, 10-5 J. Meany 0
Mr. H. Delany's Generic, a, 9-7...M. Hines 0
Mr. G. Whitelaw's Tyrconal, a, 9-3 J. Connor 0
(Winner trained by J. Banahan.)

Betting—4 to 1 on GARRYMORE, 5 to 1 agst. Soot, 6 to 1 Generic, 7 to 1 Mr. Porta, 10 to 1 any other.

Generic set the pace to Garrymore, Soot, Glenideu, and Mr. Porta, until half a mile from home, when Garrymore drew to the front, and, resisting all challenges, landed the spoils after a fine set-to. The favourite pecked slightly on landing over the last fence, but this had no bearing on the result. Details:—

2.15—PARTAN PLATE of 50 sovs. Second receives 3 sovs. A flat race. 1¼ m.

Miss Barbour's gr. g. GATE BOOK, by Book—Mona Gate, 4, 10-0 ..... C. Donnelly 1
Mr. E. J. Rope's ALASKA, a, 10-0 J. Banahan 2
Mr. W. O. Bourke's CARN, 5, 10-0 J. McCarthy 3
Capt. A. F. Charley's Kilmakee, a, 9-7 W. Alford 0
Mr. E. Delany's Der Tag, a, 9-7 .....M. Hines 0
Mr. G. W. Fraser's Ethel's Pet, 4, 9-7 J. Yorke 0
(Winner trained by C. Brabazon.)

Betting—Evens GATE BOOK, 10 to 1 any other.

Gate Book settled down in front of Alaska and Carn, and, making all the running, won easily by four lengths; five lengths divided second and third.

2.45—THE HILLSBOROUGH PLATE of £80. Second £5. A steeplechase. 2 m.

Mr. J. B. Morrison's ch. m. LINFIELD, by Minter, aged, 12 st. 2 lbs. ..... Owner 1
Mr. J. Fox's MONT BLANC, a, 11-5 P. O'Hara 2
Mr. G. J. Ball's REVOL-MINE, a, 11-5 J. Meany 3
Capt. W. Murland's Goodwill, 6, 11-5 .....Connors 0
Mr. J. A. Gibson's Storm, a, 11-5 .....Boal 0
Mr. T. Turner's Westrew, a, 11-5.....P. Grace 0
Mr. W. R. M'Kinney's Coy Lad, 6, 11-0 Capt. Harrison 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—2 to 1 each Linfield and Mont Blanc, Westview, Storm, Revol Mine, and Linfield, for half the journey, when Storm, Westview, and Goodwill fell, leaving Linfield then entirely free, followed by Mont Blanc, and, making the remainder of the running, won by twenty lengths; six lengths divided second and third.

3.10—THE ANTRIM PLATE of £50. Second receives £5. A flat race. 2 m.

Miss M. D. Barbour's b. h. ALROI, by Santoi—Cascatel, 5, 12-0 .....F. Nugent 1
Mr. J. Graham's LAND OF SUN, 6, 12-0 Mr. R. S. Graham 2
Captain Dixon's GERYONES, a, 10-11 Major R. H. Scott 3
Mr. J. Barron's Lisbanne, 6, 11-4 .....Owner 0
Miss R. Ross's Northleigh, 5, 11-4 Mr. J. R. Murland 0
Mr. H. F. Evans's Lucky Lady, 4, 10-11 (car. 10-13) .....Captain Dixon 0
Mr. J. Barrett's Bellagio, 5 11-4 .....Barrett 0
(Winner trained by C. Brabazon.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. ALROI, 5 to 1 each Land of Sun and Lucky Lady, 10 to 1 any other.

Alroi settled down in front of Geryones, Northleigh, and Land of Sun, and, making all the running, won in a canter by ten lengths; twelve lengths divided second and third. Lisbanne was fourth.

3.35—THE BARBOUR STEEPLECHASE of £60. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m.

Mr. W. Hume's b. m. GRECIAN WAVE, by Prince Hermes—Wavelength, 5, 10-0 ...F. Meuney 1
Mr. F. Barbour's RATH-LUIRC, a, 10-7 C. Donnelly 2
Mr. J. Clarke's MOYTURA, 6, 10-9 ...M. Connors 3
Mrs. Shirley's Queen of Kildare, a, 10-4 T. Dowdall, jun. 0
Mr. E. Delany's Prince Pam, a, 10-0...M. Hines 0
Captain T. Hughes's Knockeffer, 6, 10-0 P. Grace 0
(Winner trained by Magee.)

Betting—6 to 4 on GRECIAN WAVE, 5 to 1 each agst. Knockeffer and Rath-Luirc, 6 to 1 Queen of Kildare, 20 to 1 any other.

Rath-Luirc set the pace to Queen of Kildare, Knockeffer, Grecian Wave, and Moyturn, with Prince Pam last. So they ran for half the journey, when Grecian Wave took command, and, making the remainder of the running, won by three lengths; ten lengths divided second and third. Knockeffer was fourth.

4.0—THE LISBURN PLATE of £55. Second receives £3. A steeplechase. 3 m.

Mr. R. L. Dobbin's b. or br. g. IRISH DEER, by Irishman—Ardee, a, 11-12..Captain Hanson 1
Mr. A. Willis's MARIANA II., a, 12-5 Major R. H. Scott 2
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 2 on Mariana II.

Mariana II. led for about two miles, when Irish Deer headed her, and, making the remainder of the running, won by a distance.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette :—To-day's best — Ptarmigan. Double—Ptarmigan and Maritime.

Daily Express :—Safety bet — Ptarmigan. Double—Cyzara and Ptarmigan.

Daily Mirror :—Double — Night Guard (nap) and Beech Hill.

Daily Graphic :—Double — Maritime and Sir Greysteel.

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, 19th and 20th AUGUST.

FIRST DAY.

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EDINBURGH.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The only meeting down for decision under Jockey Club Rules to-day is Edinburgh. The best-endowed event is the Buccleuch Spring Handicap, in which the name of Mr. Bliss appears, but Mrs. Gardner's gelding will give this engagement a miss, in view of the City and Suburban. In Night Guard, however, J. Dawson can saddle a very efficient substitute, and one that should go very near to winning, as he was by no means disgraced when beaten by Canusa and Sandblast at Birmingham earlier in the month. Sir Greysteel has 2lb. more to carry than when finishing third to Haine and Cyzara at Newcastle, and the furlong less of this race should be all in favour of Bazley's charge. Orpi seems to have benefited as the result of being given a spell of hurdling during the winter, and his success at Liverpool points to his chance here, especially when it is borne in mind that Confirmation and Mandelieu, who finished second and third to him on that occasion, have both raised winning flags since. Miss Connie may be sent on from Catterick Bridge, where she was successful on Saturday, and if so would be dangerous, while there is also much to be said in favour of Ribblesdale, who won very easily over a mile and three furlongs at Lincoln. The two I like best, however, are Orpi and Night Guard, and I prefer them in the order named. Mocking Bird appears to have plenty of weight in the Inveresk Plate, and, while expecting to see Langside put up a bold bid for premier honours, I assign my vote to Fiddleback. Selections:—

Trial Plate—**Little Gift.**
Pinkie Plate—**Forest Dance.***
Buccleuch Spring Handicap—**Orpi.**
Montrose Stakes—**Elsey's selected.**
Inveresk Plate—**Fiddleback.**
Apprentices' Plate—**Thomson's selected.**
DOUBLE—**Forest Dance** and **Little Gift.**

2.0—TRIAL (S.) PLATE of 150 sovs. 7 f.

	Age	st. lb.
ABANAZAR (Mr. J. Burns)..... Burns	a	9 10
CLAREMONT (Capt. J. Renick) Owner	a	9 10
INDELIBLE (Brig.-Gen. Rotton) Renwick	5	9 10
ARDSCULL (Mr. J. Bell)..... Pope	a	9 7
MARITIME (Mr. Reynolds) Armstrong	6	9 7
GOLDEN ARCH (Mr. Crabtree) Scullion	6	9 7
KINSMAN (Mr. F. W. G. Weeden) Larkin	5	9 7
LITTLE GIFT (Mr. Wm. Wyllie) ..Wyllie	5	9 7
THE BAKER (Mr. Oppenheim) Bartholomew	4	8 13
MOUNT ATHOS (Mr. Wm. Wyllie) Wyllie	4	8 13
FOREST DANCE (Capt. C. F. Elsey)...Owner	4	8 13
LITTLE GIFT (Mr. O'Sullivan)	3	7 11
KILDALE (Mr. J. McCall)..... Owner	3	7 11
DERRYMORE (Mr. W. Wyllie) ..... Owner	3	7

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THE INTERNATIONAL.

ENGLAND'S TRIUMPH AT HOYLAKE.

A SWEEPING VICTORY.

By Our Special Correspondent.

The international match, in which an English team opposed a combination of Ireland and Wales, was played on the links of the Royal Liverpool Club, Hoylake, on Saturday, and resulted in a heavy defeat of the visitors, the Englishmen winning the foursomes in the forenoon by three matches to two, and the singles by eight matches to one, one match being halved.

It was a pity that Major Hezlet, Mr. Spiller and Dr. MacCormack were unable to play for Ireland. A strain, which the Irish open champion sustained in the final of the match last September at Hollymount, will keep him out of golf for a considerable time. Dr. MacCormack could not accept the invitation, and the death of Major Hezlet's father, of course, prevented him leading the team, as was intended. In the circumstances, and as there was no substitute with the Irishmen, another Welshman (David Brown) had to be brought in, and the captaincy entrusted to G. C. Stokoe, of the Royal St. David's Club.

While the result was disappointing for the combined team in the extent of the defeat, the showing of the side against what was admittedly a formidable team was very creditable indeed, and if the match served no other purpose than to cement the friendly relations between the three countries which have been greatly enhanced as the result of the formation of the Advisory Committee, it was the one thing for golf to bring it off. But it did a great deal more. It was the first time in the history of international golf matches that an Englishman had not been selected by the Committee of the Royal and Ancient Club, the English Union having chosen their own side for this match.

Incidentally, a matter which bears, in a sense, on the selection of international teams, and which, in fact, may have an important bearing on golf in the future, may be alluded to here. Subsequent to the conference at which the Advisory Committee was formed the announcement was made in a responsible golf publication that the Committee had been formed for the purpose of assisting the R. and A. in all matters affecting the game of golf. It would be premature to discuss the matter, but should any misunderstanding arise between the Advisory Committee and the Royal and Ancient as to the objects for which the former was instituted, and approved by the latter, there would likely be trouble between the two organisations, and incidentally the Unions of England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales would be affected by it. But, be that as it may, the fact remains that on this occasion the Royal and Ancient had nothing to do with the selection of the English team.

It was an ideal day for the playing of the match, for it was dry, with a fine, trying wind—just the sort of wind that makes the game so difficult at Hoylake. The foursomes resulted, as stated, in the home players taking a lead of one match. The English leaders, Tolley and Bretherton, had a very hard match against Stokoe and Brown, Tolley was the best golfer of the four, but he was by no means brilliant, and for the nonce seemed content to sacrifice length to accuracy, and was apparently playing well within himself. After an exchange of holes England won the third, fourth, sixth and seventh, and turned with a lead of three holes. Stokoe, however, a fine finish, for although Tolley and his partner were four up and six to play the excellent putting of Stokoe enabled his side to bring the match to the eighteenth, where they were beaten by two holes.

The North of Ireland pair, Lowe and Stevenson, were very badly beaten by De Montmorency and Powell. The latter went ahead at once, winning the first three holes, and they held that lead at the turn. Stevenson having missed an eighteen inch putt at the sixth. De Montmorency played fine golf, and when the Englishmen won the tenth in four and the eleventh in three the result was a foregone conclusion, and the end came at the 14th, where the Irishmen were beaten by 6 and 4.

Hewell and Fairchild were the first pair he win for the combined side, but meanwhile Chapman and Roe McConnell were having a great struggle with Hassall and Walker. The Royal Portrush player was on the top of his form, and his extreme steadiness and accuracy, especially on the greens, was a big factor in the success of the side. They took the lead at the first hole, to which the Ballymena man hit a fine tee shot dead on the line all the way, winning it in a perfect four. It was not till the fifth that the opposition squared, and it came about through Chapman, when playing a bunker shot, being struck by the ball. But at the next the mistake was retrieved, the hole being won by the Irishman and his partner in a 4, they being on the green in two good shots. McConnell was putting with the utmost deliberation and accuracy, and by holing a difficult one of three feet on the ninth, he placed the Englishmen in a deficit of 2. The lead was reduced at the tenth, the Englishmen winning it in 3 to 5, Chapman not being on the green, and McConnell pulling his shot; but a 2 at the eleventh, where the opposition were bunkered, put England once more 2 down. A lovely pitch by McConnell to the thirteenth gave his side a lead of 3, but they lost the sixteenth. They became dormy 2, and with Chapman pulling his second to the seventh, it looked as if the match would go to the last hole, for McConnell had a most difficult shot with the bunkers on the left of the green in the way, but he played a lovely pitch, which just escaped the hazard, and the hole was thus halved, and the match won.

The other match in which Ireland was primarily interested was that in which Walter Carroll and W. McConnell were beaten by Cautley and Beddard at the seventeenth. This was another fine match. The Irishmen, however had no luck on the greens, for on three occasions the ball rimmed the hole, only to come out again. They were 1 down at the turn, but Carroll missed a short putt at the tenth for the half. His partner got one back by ramming down a long one at the twelfth; but McConnell was confronted by a stymie at the thirteenth, and after cutting round it he had the mortification of seeing the ball hit the back of the hole, and bounce out. Thus the Englishmen held a lead of 2 holes, and though they lost the fourteenth to a 4, they pulled the match off at the seventeenth, McConnell topping his drive to the sixteenth and his partner being almost out of bounds from a heavy lie for his second just over the bunkering in front of the teeing ground.

Tolley had a bit the best of the luck in the singles match with Stokoe. As a matter of fact, he played some very loose shots, which got him into trouble, but recovered wonderfully well, notably at the eighth, where, from a sliced shot, he found a bad lie in the hollows. He played what looked to be a mashie-and-spud shot over the heads of the spectators, who had gone up to the green unaware that he was to the right, and a hole was halved. Tolley won the match by holing the putt. Then at the ninth he was on the far side of the green with his second, after the second of his opponent had struck the pin and lay a few feet from the hole, but the English crack went for it with the long putt, and down it went for a 3. In the end he wore the stylish Welshman down, and won the match by 4 and 3—a score by which Brethertoon beat Howell.

The most successful of the Irish players, and at the same time the sternest fighter in the side, was R. M. McConnell, who is one of the finest hopes of Irish golf. He was mainly instrumental in winning one of the foursomes, halved his match with Hartley, and had very hard luck in not winning it at the seventeenth, to which he hit one of the most spectacular shots played during the day. He went into the lead early, being 2 up at the fifth, but Hartley had two good 4's at the eighth and ninth, and when they turned for home the Irishman was only 1 up. Two halves in 4's followed, and then a 3 at the twelfth gave McConnell a lead of two. He was dormy one. To the seventeenth he was little the shorter from the drives, but on the same line as in the morning. The wind was dead against them, and McConnell took his brassey. He went all out for the green, and a glorious shot left him a yard and a half to the right of the pin. Hartley, short with his second, was also timid with his third (a short run up), but he holed the long putt for 4, and the other's putt pulling up on the edge of the hole, a half was the result. McConnell played a bad second to the last hole with a No. 4 iron, found the bunker on the right, and though he got out he could only halve the hole and the match. It was, however, a very excellent performance on the part of the Irishman.

Lowe and De Montmorency had a capital match, but the better putting of the Englishman pulled him through. Lowe played almost his best golf, but his opponent was remarkably steady. They were square at the turn, and it was only at the twelfth that De Montmorency took the lead again. They halved the other holes to the seventeenth, when the Englishman won, for the match, but it would have been a much more interesting finish had Lowe holed his putts at the fourteenth, fifteenth and sixteenth.

Beddard never gave Carroll a chance. The latter, following a fine tee shot to the first hole, put his second out of bounds. Beddard then went right ahead, winning the next three and also the eighth and ninth, to turn 6 up. The Englishman's losing game was altogether too good for the Dublin player, who was well out-distanced with wood and iron while on the greens Beddard gave nothing away. In fact, Carroll won only one hole, that being the eleventh, and he was beaten by 7 and 6.

Stevenson was, likewise, outclassed by Layton. On the way out he held his own well, and was only 2 down at the turn, but at the ninth, where he was on in 2, he required three putts. Layton then produced golf of the fireworks type, and when he was a winner at the fifteenth he held a five holes lead.

Walker, who is one of the local cracks, had a comparatively easy win over W. McConnell. Always playing well within himself, he turned 2 up. Walker, however, a very good match, but Walker's work on the greens was steadily accurate, and his play, generally so steady, and at times so brilliant, that he had no difficulty in winning by 3 and 2.

The results were—

FOURSOMES.

England.	Ireland and Wales.
C. J. H. Tolley (H. and I.) and L. Bretherton (Handsworth) (3 up) 1	G. C. Stokoe (Royal St. David's) and D. Brown (Chester) ... 0
R. H. de Montmorency (Stoke Poges) and W. A. Powell (Cooden Beach) (6 and 4) ... 1	A. Lowe (Malone) and C. E. Stevenson (Malone) 0
E. N. Layton (Walton Heath) and W. L. Hartley (Chislehurst) 0	G. B. Howell (Glamorgan) and R. I. Fairchild (Bangor) (5 and 4) 1
J. E. Hassall (Bromborough) and M. S. Walker (Seascale)... 0	J. A. Chapman (Newport) and R. M'Connell (Royal Portrush) (3 and 2) 1
J. H. Cannon (Royal Wollington) and J. B. Beddard (South Staffs) (5 and 1)... 1	W. Carroll (Pachpeck) and W. G. M'Connell (Portmarnock) 0
Total 3	Total 2

SINGLES.

England.	Ireland and Wales.
C. J. Tolley (4 and 3) 1	G. S. Stokoe 0
C. Bretherton (4 and 3) 1	H. R. Howell 0
E. N. Layton (5 and 3) 1	J. F. Stevenson 0
W. A. Powell (5 and 3) 1	D. Brown 0
R. H. de Montmorency (3 and 1)..... 1	A. Lowe 0
J. B. Beddard(7 and 6). 1	W. L. Carroll 0
J. C. Hassall 0	F. Fairchild (2 and 1) 1
J. H. Cannon (2 up) 1	A. Chapman 0
M. S. Walker (5 and 3) 1	W. G. M'Connell 0
W. L. Hartley ..... ½	R. M'Connell ..... ½
Total 8½	Total 1½

J. J. TAYLOR BEATS FRED. LEACH.

In a thirty-six-holes match at Potters Bar on Saturday, J. J. Taylor, the local professional, beat Fred Leach by 4 and 3, after being one up on the first round. The pair tied for the Middlesex Alliance Championship, and Taylor won on the re-play.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—April medal foursomes result—Captain Webb and H. J. McGurk, all square; A. Chance and G. Chance, 2 down; E. Bailey and W. Foster, 3 down; R. G. Leonard and R. F. Holmes, 4 down. Bull Cups.—Result of third round—Bacon and Sheridan beat Stanley and Ardagh; Milne and Penthony beat Tighe and Hamerton.

CARRICKMINES (Ladies' Branch).— March medal—Miss Scovell, 78 (21). Competition for next Wednesday has been postponed owing to open week at Fermoy.

CLONTARF.—Monthly medals, bogey.—Class 1.—M. Ashton (7), 2 down. Class II.—F. J. Garnier (20), all square. (Ladies' Branch).—Major Healy's prize, April 20th—18 hole, strokes. Draw at 2.30 p.m. Result of Mrs. Gardiner's prize—Mrs. Robertson, winner. Mrs. Dunsdill, second; Mrs. Plant, best gross prize.

ROSSLARE (Ladies' Branch).—Competition for Mr. Kadel's prize, postponed from 18th, will be played to-morrow. Draw after 12 o'clock train.

SUTTON (Ladies' Section).—April 23rd—Prize presented by Messrs. Rivers, 18 holes, strokes. Usual draws.

DUN LAOGHAIRE (KINGSTOWN) (Ladies' Branch).—Mrs. Traston's prize postponed to Monday, 27th. Draws at 10.30 and 11 a.m. and 2 and 2.30 p.m.

RAILWAY AND STEAM PACKET G.S.—The competition for the cup presented by Lord Inverclyde will be played over the Kingstown courses (by kind permission of the Committee) to-morrow.

PORTARLINGTON.—April medals, bogey—Class I.—G. Beattie (2), 1 down; P. A. Bell (6), 1 down; W. O'Brien (4), 6 down. Class II.—R. H. de Montmorency (Stoke Poges) and W. A. Powell (Cooden Beach) (6 and 4). 1 E. N. Layton (Walton Heath) and W. L. Hartley (Chislehurst) ..... 0 J. E. Hassall (Bromborough) and M. S. Walker (Seascale)... 0 J. H. Cannon (Royal Wollington) and J. B. Beddard (South Staffs) (5 and 1)... 1 Total ..... 3 SINGLES. England. C. J. Tolley (4 and 3) 1 C. Bretherton (4 and 3) 1 E. N. Layton (5 and 3) 1 W. A. Powell (5 and 3) 1 R. H. de Montmorency (3 and 1)..... 1 J. B. Beddard(7 and 6). 1 J. C. Hassall ..... 0 J. H. Cannon (2 up) 1 M. S. Walker (5 and 3) 1 W. L. Hartley ..... ½ Total ..... 8½ Ireland and Wales. G. S. Stokoe ..... 0 H. R. Howell ..... 0 J. F. Stevenson ..... 0 D. Brown ..... 0 A. Lowe ..... 0 W. L. Carroll ..... 0 F. Fairchild (2 and 1) 1 A. Chapman ..... 0 W. G. M'Connell ..... 0 R. M'Connell ..... ½ Total 1½

HOWTH (Ladies' Branch).—Ladies' foursomes, Tuesday, 21st. Arrange partners. Competition for 5 and 6 o'clock trains. April medal—won by Miss Fitzmaurice, 94. Miss Donohoe qualified 98.

DUNDONALD.—Saturday, 11th April, open stroke competition.—Result:—F. A. McMullan (Royal Co. Down) (14), 71; Captain Smyth (Royal Co. Down), 77. 28 competed. This match was played in a half gale, and results are very creditable. Easter Monday, open bogey competition.—

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No. 1 BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of
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ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE,

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COLLEGE RE-OPENS and NEW TERM COMMENCES on WEDNESDAY, 22nd APRIL.

The Headmaster will be in attendance to interview Parents and enrol Pupils, on Tuesday, 21st April, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Examination for SCHOLARSHIPS, open to present as well as prospective pupils, on 4th and 5th June.

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SCHOOL RE-OPENS TUESDAY, the 21st inst.

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PARLIAMENTARY NOTICE.

THE DIRECHTAS OF SAORSTAT EIREANN.
SESSION 1924-1925—SPRING APPLICATION.
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS (REGISTRATION) BILL.

(Registration of Public or Professional Accountants; Qualification of persons entitled to be registered; Registration Fees; Prohibitions and Restrictions on Unregistered Accountants; Registrar of Accountants; Provisional Board of Accountancy; Permanent Board of Accountancy; Registered Accountants; Meetings of Accountants; Byelaws and Regulations; Penalties; Examinations Board of Accountancy; Payments out of Costs of Bill by certain bodies of Accountants, etc.).

Application is intended to be made to the Oireachtas in May 1925 for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the following main objects or some of them:—

1. To make provision for and with respect to the registration of persons who hold themselves out to the public for employment in Saorstat Eireann and of the performance of the functions of a professional accountant or who otherwise practise as, or carry on the business or profession of, an accountant (hereinafter called "Public Accountants").

2. To enact or declare that where under any Public or Private Act or any Order having the force of an Act any duty or power is required to be performed or exercised by an accountant or auditor it shall be performed or exercised by an accountant registered under or in pursuance of the intended Act.

3. To make provision for and with respect to the preparation, compilation and maintenance of a Register of Public Accountants (hereinafter called "the Register") and to define the respective qualifications and conditions entitling a person to be entered in the first Register and in subsequent Registers or Lists thereof, and to define circumstances events or conditions in or on which any person may be removed from the Register or registration of any person may be refused; and to prescribe the manner of applying for registration.

4. To prescribe the fees payable on admission to the Register and on the annual or other fees payable by persons on the Register and to provide for the recovery of such fees.

5. To make provision for and with respect to the appointment of a Registrar of Public Accountants and to define his powers and duties.

6. To make provision for and with respect to the appointment of a Provisional Board of Accountancy for the preparation of the first Register of Public Accountants and such other purposes as may be defined in the Bill. To define the powers and duties of the said Provisional Board and to make provision as to the qualification election nomination retainer and retirement of and the filling of vacancies among the members of such Permanent Board.

7. To make provision for and with respect to the meetings of the said Provisional Board and Permanent Board and the procedure and voting at such meetings and the appointment election qualification and powers and duties of the Chairman, Deputy Chairman, Officers, Staff and Committees of and the preparation and audit of accounts of the said Boards or either of them.

10. To enable the said Provisional Board and Permanent Board to sue and to be sued in the name of the Registrar or in such other manner as the Bill may define and to confer on the said Boards and on the Registrar all such other powers rights and obligations as may be necessary or expedient for the purposes of the intended Act and for enabling its objects and purposes and provisions to be carried into effect.

11. To make provision for and with respect to the convening and holding of annual and other meetings of Public Accountants whose names are on the Register (hereinafter called "Registered Accountants") and to define and prescribe the powers and duties of such meetings and the procedure and voting thereat.

12. To make provision for and with respect to the making by the Permanent Board or otherwise of rules, orders, regulations and byelaws to all or any of the aforesaid objects and purposes of the Bill and for such other objects and purposes as may be defined in the Bill with respect to the confirmation or allowance variation amendment or repeal of any such byelaws and the enforcement thereof.

13. To impose fines or penalties for contravention of all or any of the provisions of the Bill and of any byelaws or regulations to be made thereunder and to provide for the recovery for such penalties.

14. To make provision for and with respect to the appointment of an Examination Board of Accountancy and to define the powers and duties of that Board and to provide for the payment of the expenses thereof by the said Permanent Board or other wise as the Bill may define.

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